

# GENERAL PERSHING VISITS FRENCH FRONT OFFERING SERVICES OF AMERICAN FORCES

## WEATHER CONDITIONS FAVORABLE TO ALLIES: STORM CRIPPLES ADVANCE

### EVERY PART OF ALLIED LINE HOLDING FIRM IS GIST OF REPORTS FROM HUGE BATTLE FRONT TODAY

### EASTERN FRONT GERMAN MENACE

Paris, March 29.—General Pershing in conference with French officers on the front yesterday asked in his name and in his country's name that the entire American force in France be engaged in the present battle, the war office announced today.

Pershing said the American army was entirely at the disposition of France. He made his request of General Foch while Premier Clemenceau, Minister of Munitions Leclerc and General Petain were conferring with Foch.

"I came to tell you that the American people would feel highly honored if our troops engaged in the present battle," Pershing said. "I ask this in my own name and in the country's name."

The elements have now joined the Allies. Rain and a high wind are sweeping the western front battlefield according to United Press dispatches from Wm. Phillip Simms. Much of the success of the German drive has been attributed to the favorable weather as that enabled them to rush forward their reserves and permit the artillery to keep pace with the infantry. If the rain continues for an extensive period the German transport system will be crippled but the Allies in the past have proven themselves "foot horses"—to use an expression from the race track.

American troops commanded by General Pershing have asked for a more active part in the present battle. The American commander visited General Foch at the front and personally conferred the entire American forces, the French war office announced today.

There is a rapid change in the erstwhile "eastern theatre," according to United Press dispatches from Petrograd dated Wednesday. Since the recapture of Odessa, Kherson and Nicolaeff, the Russian Bolshevik forces have ejected the Germans from small towns in the Kharkoff region. The Russian press is now agitating a redeclaration of war against Germany and the Ukraine have objected so strenuously to the enforcement of some of the provisions of the peace treaty with Germany that some of the conditions have been nullified. This change in the east, it is possible, will furnish some diversion from the western front.

The capture of LeMochel, according to the French official statement, shows the Allies are striking back directly toward Montdidier which is about two miles northwest of LeMochel. The French Communiqué also declared the Anglo-French were holding the Avre region and that Petain's men are retaining villages recaptured yesterday despite strong counter attacks.

#### HOME ON FURLOUGH

James Dale, who is one of Uncle Sam's boys at Camp Hancock, is home on a ten day furlough to visit his father, A. M. Dale, on Park street. Jim is an expert machine gun instructor, having just completed a course in one of the army schools. He is both looking and feeling fine and says the Pennsylvania boys at Camp Hancock are ready and anxious to get into the fight "over there." He told us that his brother James Lieut. George A. Dale, who was recently discharged from the service on account of physical disability is now working on the railroad down in Georgia and hopes to get back in the army when he recovers his usual health.

#### PATRIOTIC MEETING AT BOARDMAN

Messrs. John M. Bain, Hon. Joseph Phillips, A. R. Chase, and John C. Atwood, Esq., addressed a rousing patriotic meeting at Boardman last night.

#### LOCAL BOYS ADVANCING

Henry M. Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. John V. Miller of the Fourth Ward, who was one of the first Clearfield boys to leave for service after war was declared with Germany, has been advanced to the position of Regimental Quartermaster Sergeant of the 108th Field Artillery regiment at Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga. Sergeant Miller and Al Owens, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Owens of Lawrence township, left here together as members of Troop L of Bellefonte of the First Pennsylvania cavalry and were afterwards transferred to the field artillery. Al Owens is now a member of the 103d Regiment.

#### GRANTED A DIVORCE

Mrs. Katherine Kline of Altoona was granted a divorce from Jessie Kline in the Clearfield county courts this morning. Judge Bell acting on the recommendation of H. B. Hartwick, a Commissioner who heard the testimony. The Klines were married at Curwensville in 1900.

#### MISLEADING NEWS

For several days our city lon-temperaries have teemed with news of the valorous doings of the American forces now engaged in the big western drive but few of them have taken the trouble to point out the fact that none of the American Expeditionary Forces under General Pershing have been moved to the battle front. The small unit engaged in the present struggle have been with the Allied armies for some time and General Pershing's request of today bears out our contention that none of the Pershing army are as yet in the fray. Many of our people have been very solicitous of the welfare of them sons recently but practically all can rest assured that their boys are not as yet in it although the indications are that within a week or so the cream of Pershing's men will be on the Allied front.

## MAY HOLD TWO MEETINGS TO HEAR HERO

Lieut. Pericord, Hero Of The Battle Of The Marne, Is A Former Canadian Priest

### RESIGNED TO JOIN THE ARMY

Lieutenant Pericord, of the French army, who will address a patriotic meeting in Clearfield on Thursday night, April 4, was a young French Canadian priest at the time of the outbreak of the war. He immediately resigned his parish, sailed for France and, as he expresses it, is one of the few of the original number of Frenchmen who withstood the German avalanche, alive today.

This great hero of the Marne, putting aside the robes of priesthood to rejoin the colors, his desperate wounds, his five decorations for valor on the field of honor, his presence as the living voice of the fighting man from the front, all will be told by him on next Thursday night, and the committee in charge are making arrangements to have room for every person to get to see this great orator and hear him, although they may have to have two meetings the same night to accommodate the people.

Don't forget the date, as this is a great opportunity and the program will consist of music, both vocal and instrumental, in charge of Prof. Van Osten. We are informed that Senator Ernest L. Tustin, Chairman of the Speakers' Bureau of Pennsylvania, will accompany Lieutenant Pericord and will make a short address for us on that occasion.

#### APPOINTED COUNTY MEDICAL INSPECTOR

Dr. John W. Gordon has been appointed County Medical Inspector for Clearfield county by the State Department of Health to fill the place made vacant by the death of the late Dr. S. C. Stewart. Dr. Gordon has also been recommended for appointment to succeed Dr. Stewart on the local Exemption Board for District No. 1.

#### PURCHASED NEW FLAGS

The two handsome new flags on the Clearfield High School building were purchased out of the proceeds of the High School lecture and entertainment course.

#### WHERE THE KAISER GETS INSPIRATION

The list of fifteen decisive battles of the world, to which the German Emperor declares he purposes to add a "sixteenth" before the great battle now raging on the western front is concluded, is as follows:

The battle of Marathon, in which the Persian hosts were defeated by the army of Greeks under Miltiades, B. C. 490.

The defeat of the Athenians at Syracuse, B. C. 413.

The battle of Arbela, in which the Persians under Darius were defeated by the invading Greeks under Alexander the Great, B. C. 331.

The battle of Metaurus, in which the Carthaginian forces under Hasdrubal were overthrown by the Romans, B. C. 207.

Victory of the German tribes under Arminius over the Roman legions under Varus, A. D. 9.

Battle of Chancellorsville, where Attila the Terrible, King of the Huns, was repulsed by the Romans under Aetius, A. D. 541.

Battle of Tours, in which the Saracen Turks invading western Europe were utterly overthrown by the Franks under Charles Martel, A. D. 732.

Battle of Hastings, by which William the Conqueror became the ruler of England, Oct. 15, 1066.

Victory of the French under Joan of Arc over the English at Orleans, April 29, 1429.

Defeat of the Spanish armada by the English naval force, July 29-30, 1588.

Battle of Blenheim, in which the French and Bavarians were defeated by the allied armies of Great Britain and Holland under the Duke of Marlborough, Aug. 2, 1701.

Battle of Pultowa, where the Swedish army under Charles XII was defeated by the Russians under Peter the Great, July 8, 1709.

Victory of the American army under General Gates over the British under General Burgoyne, at Saratoga, Oct. 17, 1777.

Battle of Valmy, where the allied armies of Prussia and Austria were defeated by the French under Marshal Kellerman, Sept. 20, 1792.

Battle of Waterloo, in which the allied forces of the British and Prussians defeated the French under Napoleon, the final overthrow of the great commander, June 18, 1815.

#### AN APPRECIATION

Clearfield County Home  
March 28, 1918

Rev J J Resh  
Dear Brother

We wish to express our sorrow of your absence from us, as we expect you to be with us a while yet. As our Chaplain we loved you and will miss you from among us. We know you were always sincere and true to your profession and to God and your fellow man. But as you are moved from us we wish you unbounded success in your new field of labor. During your stay with us we always knew we had a good friend and one of true feeling for us and we always welcomed you and looked for your presence with us and know and feel sure you were always glad to be here, as we truly consider you the best Chaplain our home has ever had. We all wish you God speed and His blessings and when your good work is finished here that your good home will be awaiting you in the great beyond which God has prepared for you. Now we will say good bye, and wish you, Mrs. Resh and family well and hope you will find it better and your presence with your new congregation will be appreciated.

Thank you for the good feeling you have brought upon us for you and for all good work done for us and at our home. We all remain,  
Yours with respect  
S S BAILEY  
L V THOMPSON  
And others of the Home

## SHAPLEN'S CABLE

By Jos. S. Shaplen  
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Petrograd, March 27.—German War Minister Kuhlman, replying to a protest, declared that Germany was justified in sending armed forces into Finland on the grounds of Ambassador Francis's statement regarding America's readiness to assist in restoring the status quo in violation of the Brest Litovsk peace treaty.

Members of the Russian Soviet replied that Francis merely quoted President Wilson's message to which ratification of the treaty furnished a rejoinder. Anti-German feeling in Russia is more intense now than at any time since the beginning of the war. Kuhlman's reply to the protest against German occupation of Odessa declared Odessa is in Ukrainian territory. After the Russians recaptured Odessa 10,000 workmen in Kharhoff (350 miles northeast of Odessa and 250 miles east of Kiev) resolved to disregard the Soviet order to evacuate and decided to defend the city to the last. They also began removing large stores of metals.

Under the English law a woman cannot marry her deceased husband's brother.

## KAISER LOSING WILD GAMBLE WITH DEATH

Mason, Military Expert Of The United Press, Sees No Reason For Pessimism

### FRENCH HAVE BIG RESERVE

By J. W. T. Mason  
Written for the United Press  
New York, March 29.—By restraining further movement of Germany's first reserve troops across France, America's increasing military strength along the Alsace-Lorraine border is exerting what may prove to be a decisive influence upon the progress of Hindenburg's attack against the Anglo-French line.

The key to the situation now confronting Hindenburg, Haig and Petain is the question of reserves. Both sides must depend for a renewal of activity upon fresh reinforcements. If Hindenburg were able to bring up still more shock troops and to slaughter them in large numbers as a further sacrifice to the Hohenzollerns, the situation along the west front would cause much anxiety. There are German reserves ready for such a purpose concentrated at Metz, and southern Alsace.

It would be fatal, however, for Hindenburg to draw on them if they were to vanish the road to the Rhine would be made into an easy passage for General Pershing. Were it not for the American armies now in eastern France and the fast arriving American reinforcements, there would be nothing to prevent Hindenburg from throwing at least a quarter of a million more men into the western combat at the critical moment.

America's part in the war on a major scale therefore, has already begun to be played though in silence and without any large activity. Hindenburg cannot push much farther forward to a decision against France and England without risking the capture of the Rhine this summer by the American armies. That is the principal reason why heavy German reinforcements are no longer being hurled against the British and French fronts.

## FRENCH SUFFER SMALL LOSS BUT HOLD

Take Great Encouragement From Offer Of General Pershing To Participate In Battle

### REPULSE ALL HUN ATTACKS

By United Press  
Paris, March 29.—The French are holding firmly to all territory recaptured from the enemy yesterday in the Montdidier region according to official announcement issued this afternoon. In the Montdidier region despite counter attacks we held the villages recaptured yesterday, says the statement. We stormed LeMochel and repulsed counter attacks against Pleisidensjades, North of Montdidier. The Anglo-French forces are holding the enemy on the Avre river.

#### GEN. BLISS REPORTS

Washington, March 29.—The enemy is being held on all points was the report of General Bliss read to the House Military committee this morning by General March. Bliss' report read before the weekly joint war department house military conference indicated the situation although still grave is gradually assuming favorable shape for the allies.

#### AMERICAN AVIATOR HAS FINE RECORD

Paris, March 29.—Davies Putnam, of Brookline, Mass., a member of the Lafayette Escadrille has brought down two or more German aeroplanes making a total of five of which four are "official." While patrolling German lines Putnam was attacked by three monoplanes and after a sharp fight he brought one down and the others fled. Later Putnam was attacked by two biplanes and he brought down one of them. Putnam was decorated with the French war cross and promoted to a Sergeant. He has not yet obtained his transfer to the American air forces.

#### A VICTORY FOR MILITARY TRAINING

Washington, March 29.—By a vote of 35 to 32 the Senate today refused to table Senator New's universal military training amendment which provides for the registration of all young men who became 21 since last June.

#### TAKES ALLEGIANCE PLEDGE AFTER INSULT TO U. S. FLAG

Williamsport, Pa., March 27.—Following that he "would not walk across the street to save America," George Derrick, of Clearfield, was yesterday made to repeat the pledge of allegiance to the American flag as he stood in police court as Mayor Hoagland held an emblem over his head.

Derrick was knocked out into the street by E. B. Rupert, an express driver, for his remark and as he dropped he fell into the arms of a policeman who arrested him.

#### RETURNED HOME FROM PITTSBURGH

Mrs. Wilhelmina McCullough, who spent the winter at the home of her daughter Mrs. James I. Goodlander in Pittsburgh, arrived in Clearfield on last evening's Pennsylvania train accompanied by her daughter Mrs. D. Guppy with whom she makes her home. Mrs. McCullough who is in her 80th year had a couple of severe cold spells during the winter, but stood the fatigues of the long journey remarkably well and is overjoyed to get back home again.

The West Side M E Ladies Aid Society will hold a cake sale in Kaepff Furniture Store, Second street, Saturday afternoon, March 30, at two o'clock.

## BRITISH STOP EVERY RUSH OF GERMANS

Report Of General Haig Indicates With Optimism And Assurance That Allied Line Will Hold

### ENEMY DRAWS ON RESERVES

London, March 29.—"Our positions were maintained against strong attacks north of the Somme yesterday afternoon and evening and we gained ground by successful counter attacks," Haig reported today. Heavy continuous fighting continued south of the Somme until late in the evening. We maintained our lines throughout the day in the face of repeated assaults by superior enemy forces. We have withdrawn to short distance from the advanced points. The British took a number of prisoners and machine guns north of the Somme inflicting heavy losses on the enemy," Haig continued. "The frequent attacks with great determination throughout the day (Thursday) only gained our out posts. After severe hand to hand fighting, his reserves sent forward against our positions were stopped everywhere with losses. Our own machine gun artillery and rifles did great execution."

#### By Ed. L. Keel By United Press

London, March 29.—There is no reason yet to believe that General Ludendorff has increased his prospect of winning the great political gamble—which is the real character of the German offensive. Every effort thus far made to draw in the allied reserves has failed. Meantime the German line has been compelled to take an increasingly precarious shape. Obviously the German command has been forced to draw on its own reserves still intact will be able to strike where they please.

#### By William Phillip Simms

With the British army in the field, March 29.—The fighting continued today despite the sudden change in weather which had set a gale and rain sweeping across the battle field. The Germans with oil-like perseverance are battling away against the British lines in the region of Arras. The enemy made some progress occupying the front line trenches at Orange Hill and Neuville-Vitasse.

#### BRIDGE PARTY

Miss Edna Johnson was hostess at a small bridge party yesterday afternoon at her home on South Second street. There were two tables of progressive bridge in play during the afternoon and the high bridge score was held by Miss Vera Fultord. Excellent refreshments were served.

Dr. Kate B. Karpels, a Johns Hopkins university graduate now serving with the emergency dispensary of the Army Medical department to the first women to receive the relative rank of Staff Lieutenant in the army.

Not only the design but the color of the rugs, worn in the home, are full of significance. They represent national or individual traditions and stand for virtues, vices and social importance.

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#### BIG MEAT SALE

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## THE GOLD STAR IN THE FLAG

There is fineness in the question "What shall we do, when the casualty lists come, with the blue stars on the red-bordered service flags denoting that one or more has gone from the house into the service, and he for whom the star is shown has given his life?" It is plain that the star cannot be erased, for the life represented is more rather than less worthy of honor. The suggestion is made that the star of blue for the living shall be replaced by a star of gold for the one whose life has been given.

The idea is appropriate and excellent. Gold is believed to be an imperishable metal and is, therefore, the most appropriate to symbolize the deed of one who has given his life for his country. When the time comes let us by all means use the gold star.

## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

### FOR CONGRESS

We are authorized to announce the name of J. Jonathan Grier of Clearfield, Pa., as a candidate for Congress to represent the 21st Congressional District, composed of Clearfield, Cameron and McKean Counties, subject to the rules of the Republican party. P. O. address, Clearfield, Pa.

We are authorized to announce the name of Henry W. Brown of Clearfield, Pa., as a candidate for Representative in Congress from the 21st Congressional District, subject to the rules governing the Republican party. P. O. address, Clearfield, Pa.

We are authorized to announce the name of William I. Swoope of Clearfield as a candidate for the office of Congress to represent the 21st Congressional District composed of Clearfield, Cameron and McKean Counties. Subject to the rules of the Republican party, Primary May 21st, 1918.

We are authorized to announce the name of John Richardson of McKean County, as a candidate for Congress from the 21st Congressional District, composed of the counties of McKean, Cameron, Clearfield and Clearfield, subject to the rules of the Republican party. P. O. address, Clearfield, Pa.

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### FOR STATE SENATE

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## GIVE THE KID A PLOT IN YOUR WAR GARDEN

Instead of having community or plot gardens the school authorities are arranging this year for home gardens. Prof. Clair Ross, who will again be in charge has prepared a circular embodying the details and all necessary instructions concerning the plan, following the outlines laid down by the Federal agricultural department. This circular will be given to each pupil and by them submitted to their parents. In addition thereto an enrollment card will also be provided and each parent asked to give his or her consent to the pupil taking hold of the home garden project.

Following the consent of the parent the student is given the necessary examination and if accepted for the work the garden manager or superintendent then instructs them in their work, sends them in laying out their garden plot and will give the same supervising attention during the season.

This plan should work out highly satisfactory and result in great good. The garden manager will keep a record of each card and mark every acre according to his deserts and after harvest time the crops raised will be entered.

Agricultural and Domestic Science teachers at the Clearfield County Fair in the school garden products competition which provides the following prizes:

Fourth grade 1st 2d 3d  
Fifth grade 1.00 .75 .50  
Sixth grade 2.00 1.00 .75  
Seventh grade 2.00 1.00 .75  
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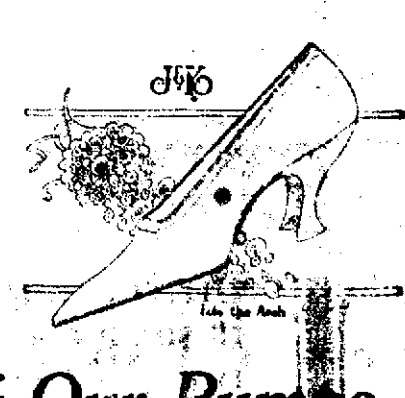
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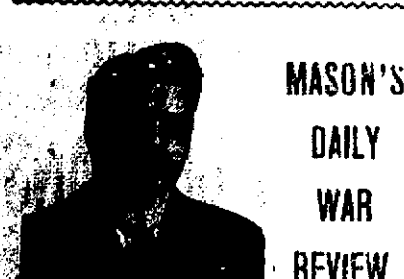
Prepared mustard in quart jars, Crubro brand, special, per jar 28c

Oleomargarine, Highland brand, per pound 32c

Oleomargarine, Arco brand, made from the white of coconuts churned in pure sweet milk, per lb. 35c

Cauliflower, medium size heads, per pound 15c

Bring your market basket and save some money and buy War Savings Stamps.



## MASON'S DAILY WAR REVIEW

By J. W. T. Mason  
Written for the United Press

New York, March 23.—Hindenburg's "daughters" of Germany to maintain the absolute power of the Hohenzollerns continues to center along the southern front under the Hohenzollern Crown Prince, with increasing danger for the German army.

Every mile of advance by the Germans south of the Somme means Hindenburg's left flank more vulnerable. The announcement from Paris that only a few French divisions are being used in the present battle must cause disquietude and caution at the Kaiser's headquarters.

The bulk of the French reserves are free to develop a major attack against the German flank south of the Somme, if Hindenburg pushes a salient too far to the west. Even the risks that Hindenburg is prepared to run to perpetuate Hohenzollern autocracy must reach their limit when confronted with the possibility of French reserve power striking Germany's flank.

The German people are showing signs of uneasiness at the fact that the French troops have not been tempted to waste their strength in the present onslaught. Already, therefore, a slight reaction is appearing in Germany against the promises of the Hohenzollerns that the Kaiser's human sacrifices would win the war for those German people that were left.

With the French army still fresh, German socialists are beginning to see that the battle now raging cannot be decisive for Germany. Soon a realization of the part the American army is yet to play in the struggle will add more powerfully to the reaction.

There is no reason for pessimism in the face of the manner in which the fighting is proceeding. At every important point the Germans are being held and there are increasing indications that the initiative is beginning to pass to the British and French. The Allies' line is now being strengthened by fresh reinforcements, while von Hindenburg's reserve lines are growing fewer. The Kaiser is losing his gamble with death.

## WON A LIEUTENANCY

William E. Wallace received word Tuesday evening from his son, G. Bruce Wallace, that he had passed the required examinations and received a commission as Second Lieutenant in the Aviation Corps. He has been training at the U. S. Technical School, Augusta, Georgia, for several months. He will now go to Kelly Field, San Antonio, Texas, for advanced practice and general aviation experience.

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## G. O. P. HAS YOUNGEST CHAIRMAN IN HISTORY

(By United Press)  
Indianapolis, Ind., March 23.—The organization of all elements and factions into a harmonious organization.

That is what Will H. Hays, chairman of the national Republican party will strive for and it is what he believes will bring success to the Republican party in 1920, he stated here today.

That method brought success to Hays' efforts in Indiana while he was state chairman and he is confident that it will also bring success in the national field.

Hays is known chiefly for his ability as a harmonizer, a fair and square party man and an adjuster of factional differences. His reputation as a political leader is based on middle-of-the-road Republicanism.

It is not known just when Hays showed his first interest in political work. He doesn't know himself. But he related the following story of his earlier life, which casts some light on the subject.

"When I was just out of high school, my father took me to the Republican national convention at St. Louis which nominated McKinley for presidency. When we returned from the meeting my father presented me a heavy envelope, containing clippings from newspapers concerning affairs of the meeting. Written on the back of the envelope was: 'To Master Will Hays, with the hope that in the future he may take an interest in politics.'"

Hays is the youngest national Republican chairman in the history of the party—28 years of age. He is married and has "one" son about two years of age. His wife is a daughter of Judge Thomas of Curwensville, Ind.

Hays attended Wabash college and received an M. A. degree in 1900. He took highest oratorical honors there. He was admitted to the bar before he was 21 and since has been associated with his father in the practice of law at Sullivan.

The only public office he ever held was prosecuting attorney of Sullivan county.

In the 1914 campaign, Hays, as chairman of the state central committee, had the job of reorganizing the party in Indiana. Although in that campaign the Republicans did not land the offices, the G. O. P. rose from third to second place and got in line for the victory which came in 1916.

Hays won over an army of Progressives in 1914. He increased the Republican vote in the state from 112,000 in 1912 to 225,000 in 1914 and this was followed two years later by a notable victory for both the state and national tickets in Indiana.

In May, 1917, Gov. Goodrich of Indiana appointed Hays a chairman of the state council of defense.

Hays is a tireless worker. In Sullivan, Ind., where they know him best, he is described as the only man who can talk over two long distance telephones; carry on conversa-

## SECOND WARD HOSE COMPANY HAS 15 MEN IN SERVICE

The Second Ward Hose Company unfurled a service flag at a public meeting held in their hose house on members of this company in the service of their country at present.

The following interesting program was carried out:

Roll call of members in service

Singing of American by members

Address W. L. Hays, Hon. Solo, "The Road to Home Front"

Hymn Miss Columbia Banner

Address H. H. Hays

Violin obligato Miss Columbia Banner

Address H. H. Hays

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Singing, "Star Spangled Banner"

Audience

Benediction Rev. Dr. Hays

Miss Martha Himes presided acceptably at the piano during the evening.

Following is a list of the boys of No. 2 Company in the service:

Harry F. Davis, 59 U. S. Infantry

Rand, Camp Greene, Charlotte, N. C.

Sergeant Ferd Mignot, Base Hospital, Camp Lee, Virginia.

Thomas H. Hartwick, Section 502 S. A. C. A., Allentown, Pa.

F. Gregory Hartwick, American Mission Transport, A. E. F. Reserve, Mallet, France.

Edgar Markle, Co. D, First U. S. Engineers, A. E. F., France.

Raymond V. Bloom, Co. D 49 Infantry, Brooklyn, New York.

Ralph W. Dunlap, M. G. Co. 9th Infantry, A. E. F., France.

Sergeant John L. Zimmerman, Co. D 4th Infantry, Camp Stuart, Newport News, Va.

William E. Beck, Co. A 305 Ammunition Train, Camp Lee, Va.

G. Webb Shillingford, Clearfield, Field, Arvadia, Fla.

Private A. E. Mollett, 117 Aero Squad, A. E. F., England.

Chas. D. Feight, Casual Detachment, 4th Regiment, M. M. S. C., Camp Hancock.

Samuel Powell, Ordnance Department, Washington, D. C.

Dent S. Holden, Co. 10, 3rd T. Battalion, 155 D. Brigade, Camp Lee, Va.

Vincent Stock, Eleventh 80C

Vincent Stock, First Training Brigade, Kelly Field, Antonio, Texas.

ABOLISH SALOONS BUT WILL SELL IN BULK FORM

Los Angeles, Cal., March 20.—Midnight tomorrow night will mark the passing of the saloons in Los Angeles.

As a result of the vote taken at the initiative election of last November the metropolis of southern California is to become tolerably "dry".

Abolition prohibition would probably have been adopted if it had not been for special consideration given to the interests of the winemakers, whose industry is one of the most important of this section.

While the ordinance provides for the abolition of the saloons it will permit the sale in original packages and in quantities of wines and liquors, the alcoholic content of which does not exceed fourteen per cent, and will allow cafes and restaurants to serve such wines and liquors until 9 p. m., but not later.

Clearfield's Prosperous People

are not necessarily those of the largest earning capacity. More important than the sum earned is the amount saved—laid aside from present income to insure progress and permanent success.

The savings facilities of this institution are available to all progressive residents.

Our Officers extend a cordial invitation to open an account here.



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Next to Lettermeyer

Workman's Cash Stores

Three Stores  
Daisy St. West Side Third St.



## HELP ALONG THE THRIFT MOVEMENT

Make every Monday Thrift Monday. Use Fels-Naptha soap. It enables you to be thrifty with fuel; and it saves wear and tear on clothes by cutting down washboard rubbing.

At your own grocer's

## LETTERS FROM OUR SOLDIER BOYS

Camp Lee, Va.

Dear Mother:

Well, today we had our first experience in firing. We were out on the range all day but went out in trucks so came back and had our dinner in the barracks. This was the first time that I had ever done any shooting so was expecting to see some fun. But when I fired my first shot and found out that there was no kick to the rifle was awful sorry when we had to come in for supper.

This practice on the rifle range is the best thing we have done yet. Before when I would see the infantry going out to the range I would think that they had it pretty hard but did not know then what we were missing. Expect we will go out every day this week for practice. Back of the targets you can see the trees that are cut off by being hit with the bullets.

Harry left here this morning on the early train and I gave him a letter to give to you. He said that you wanted one of those large pictures of the camp so on Saturday will go up to the camp photographer and get one for you. Some of the other companies have started giving out furloughs but do not know when we will get them as we have not received our new men yet and so are pretty busy taking care of our horses.

With love  
G. B. TROXEL

## WALLACETON

Mrs. Allen Woodside of Philipsburg was a caller at the home of her parents here on Thursday.

Wm. and Burton Twoey, Roy Johnson and Clair Smith enjoyed an auto ride to Philipsburg on Tuesday evening.

W. S. Bressler, our Chief Burgess had business at Philipsburg on Thursday afternoon.

Dominic Buffano had business at the burg on Thursday.

Grover Johnson, one of our town's popular young fellows, and Wm. Twoey, who lives a short step from town, have passed the examination at Clearfield, been accepted for service and have received notice to entrain at Clearfield on April 2nd, for a training camp. These two boys are good husky fellows and no doubt will give their country good service. A bunch of our fellows will be in Clearfield that day to pass the boys a glad hand. The former mentioned is an electrician, having been employed by the Penn Public Service Company at Philipsburg.

Chas. Goss, now employed at Philipsburg, had business here on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Goss have just returned from a few weeks visit to the latter's home at York, Pa.

## IMPORTANT

At 2:00 A. M. March 31st the clocks in all offices and the watches of all employees of this company will be advanced one hour—that is, from 2:00 A. M. to 3:00 A. M., and all trains will be operated thereafter under the revised standard time as inaugurated by the Government under the Daylight Saving Law.

BUFFALO, ROCHESTER & PITTSBURGH RAILWAY

Razors were used in the remote areas, and they are mentioned in the Book of Numbers.

## HIS OWN STORY HOLDS A THRILL

Well-Known Pittsburgher is Qualified to Speak for Multitude

E. C. Byers, of 347 Pearl street, a well-known Pittsburgh butcher says: "I had constant spells of choking and coughing because of the secretions of mucus in my nose and throat, which I eventually swallowed as I slept and which finally affected my stomach. I would wake four or five times a night because of the choking sensations. Rarely did I ever get a night's rest."

"When I decided to take a remedy a friend said: 'You will not make a mistake if you try Tanlac. I believed him. I have used two bottles and Tanlac has helped me so much that I just want to tell every one what it has done for me. My catarrh has practically gone entirely. I sleep much better and my sense of taste and smell that were badly affected have improved wonderfully. My appetite, too, has come back and I feel like I could eat eight or nine times a day. The pain over my eyes and in other parts of my head has disappeared. I get up in the morning with a clear head, and not all stuffed up and dizzy as formerly.'"

Tanlac is now sold here by Woodward & McPherson.

## DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

HORNED TOAD.

"In a far warmer climate than we know at this season of the year," commenced Daddy, "there lived a little horned toad."

"I am a very superior toad," he said one day to his small grandchild, "and some day, young man, or young toad, you will be one too."

"Will I really, Grandpa Toad?" he asked. "How very wonderful. Will it be long before I am what you are—that big word—I don't remember it?"

"Superior is what you mean," said Grandpa Toad, "no, young toad, you will be superior before long. It means that you will be fine and great."

"Oh, will it?" he asked again, so happy did the thought of it make him.

"I said you would, and I make no mistakes," said Grandpa Toad severely. "So the little toad kept very still for he was afraid he had hurt his grandfather's feelings, and perhaps he wouldn't be great if he kept on saying such foolish things, and repeating the same thing over again."

"Young toad," said Grandpa after a few minutes, "I will forgive you for you are young." And the little toad ran nearer to his grandfather.

"May I hear about it all—the days ahead—and of your adventures, Grandpa?"

"You may, my toad grandson, you may."

"Could you begin the story now?" asked the little toad, in a meek voice.

"I will begin it at once, my toad grandson," said Grandpa Toad.

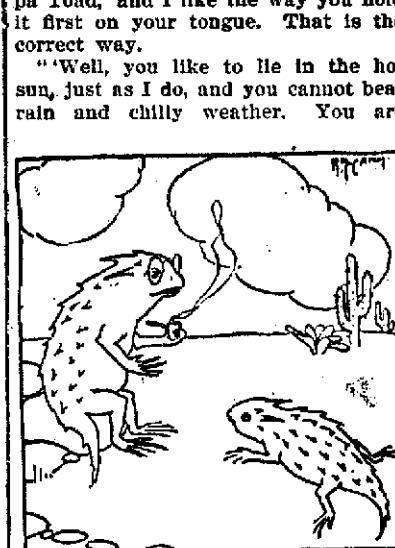
"So Grandpa Toad flapped his queer horns, of which he was very proud, and the little toad drew nearer."

"My dear toad grandson," he said, "you are a horned toad like myself and so you start off with great luck. In the next place you have a great deal of sense. You would not live in lands which are wet and cold, and in the very bad winter months you know enough to go to sleep under the sand."

"It is warmer down here than it is way up North so we can get up much earlier than our toad cousins can there. You like flies and ants, and as Grandpa Toad said so, his grandson swallowed a fine big fly."

"That was a good one," said Grandpa Toad, "and I like the way you hold it first on your tongue. That is the correct way."

"Well, you like to lie in the hot sun, just as I do, and you cannot bear rain and chilly weather. You are



"My Dear Toad Grandson," He Said.

harmless and mild and you would not hurt anyone—except of course you do like to eat flies and ants, which is perfectly natural. But best of all, you don't have to hop about like your cousin toads do, but you can run—as I can, and so you are very superior!"

"Will you tell me some of your adventures, Grandpa dear? I would like to be wise and smart as you are. I am so glad to hear that I do things the way you do. It makes me very happy."

"Once," said Grandpa Toad, "I was attacked by a dangerous creature, and do you want to know what I did?"

"Oh, yes, please, grandpa."

"Very well, my grandson toad, I will tell you, and I hope you will do the same if ever such a thing happens to you. I stretched out as though I were dead, and then when danger was past I hurried away."

"But once more I thought I had better be careful so I covered myself with sand, only letting my eyes stay out."

"How did you get the sand over you, Grandpa?"

"With my tail. See!" And Grandpa Toad gave his grandson a lesson in how to protect himself.

"So you are pleased with me, Grandpa Toad?" said the little one, as he practiced getting the sand over him.

"Indeed I am, my grandson toad," said Grandpa, "and now let's run quickly to show the whole world that we're the superior running Horned Toads. And if the whole world happens to be asleep and not looking—we'll run just the same, for it will make us happy and healthy and fine."

"Then we will take a rest in the sunny sand and have a luncheon of ants and flies!"

What People Think.

When a girl snaps out that she does not care what anybody thinks about her, she has made a very foolish speech. A good reputation is not the thing of first importance. Character outranks it. But next in importance, to what we are, is what people think of us. Our happiness and to a large extent our usefulness, depend on the opinion of others. Makes a blunder whose seriousness can hardly be overestimated.—Girl's Companion.

Anyone having old papers and magazines they wish to give to the Y. M. C. A. should notify Mrs. F. B. Irvin or Mrs. W. E. Wallace.

LEITZINGER BROS. LEITZINGER BROS. LEITZINGER BROS.

## New For Easter Wear

### A Splendid Collection of Fashionable and Beautifully Tailored Coats Suits and Dresses

Hundreds of styles at attractive prices.

Coats ..... \$7.50 to \$50.00 Suits ..... \$15.00 to \$60.00  
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## Lovely Easter Waists

lines. The loveliest waists we have eved and beaded. Many different neck Sheer Georgette and voiles, tucker shown.

## Easter Millinery

Big medium and small hats in all black. Black that is color touched or in color that matches the costume. Also blues—especially Peking, old blues and French blues.

## Easter Dress Accessorier

Your needs for a stylish Easter outfit can be splendidly met here.  
Shoes to match your costume.  
Gloves—new Spring styles.  
Veils—neckwear and hosiery. Handsome and dainty ribbons and laces.  
Everything in Easter readiness.

## Infants Easter Outfits

Dainty little caps and bonnets of silk, lace, straw and ribbon.  
Little coats—cloth, silk and velvet.  
Coat sweaters in all shades.

## LEITZINGER BROTHERS

"THE BIG STORE"

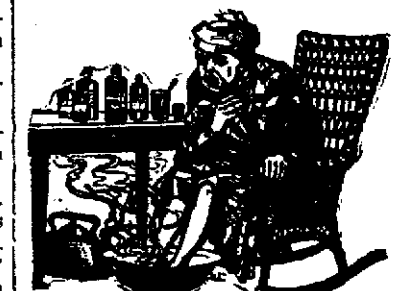
Market Street, Clearfield, Pa.

## COLD ON CHEST AND SORE THROAT ENDED OVERNIGHT

A Big, Yellow Box of Begy's Mustardine for 25 Cents—Doctors Prescribe It.

You get action with Mustardine—it drives out pain in half the time it takes other remedies—it's the quickest pain killer on earth

Stops coughing almost instantly; ends sore throat and chest colds over night. Nothing like it for neuralgia, lumbago, neuritis and to speedily drive away rheumatic pains and reduce swollen joints.



None of this Necessary—Use BEGY'S MUSTARDINE—All Well by Morning. Mustardine is the original non-blistering prescription that takes the place but is 10 times as efficient as Grandmother's old-fashioned mustard plaster. Use it for sprains, strains, bruises, sore muscles, stiff neck, swollen joints, neuralgia and frost-bitten feet and chilblains. Be sure it's Begy's Mustardine in the yellow box. 25 cents.

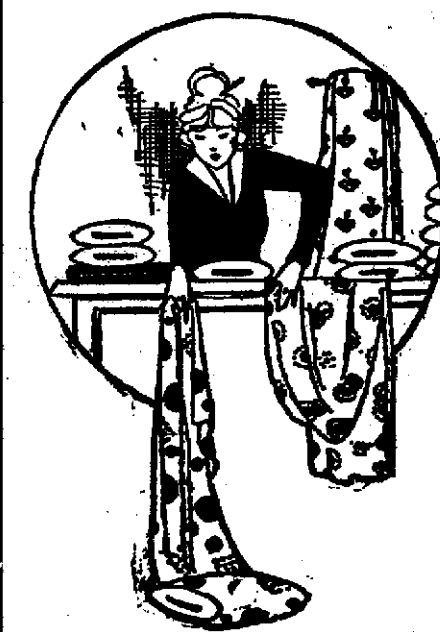
## BIG MEAT SALE

Don't fail to see W. P. Norris' line-up for Easter. Everything is always cheaper there than anywhere else in town and goods the very best that money will buy. Come early in the morning to avoid the rush. Over \$1000 worth of meats of all kinds must be sold tomorrow.

## COAL FOR SALE AT DUMP

The undersigned is prepared to supply custom coal at \$2.00 per ton at the dump.

E. E. NELSON  
M26-6tp Clearfield, Pa.



Something

New

Hawaiian

Cloth

This is one of the new creations of the weaver's art. Something like a voile, yet it has a closer weave. Has a water shedding finish, though we do not guarantee it to be waterproof.

For automobile wear this is one of the greatest materials that has ever been produced.

It's inexpensive, too, selling for only 50c the yard

Full yard wide and we have it in navy and a soft medium gray.

## BEACH CLOTH

One of the popular dress materials on account of its light weight and good wearing qualities.

We have this this in navy, cope, tan, rose, and white. Full yard wide. The yard

40c

## Ross & Woods

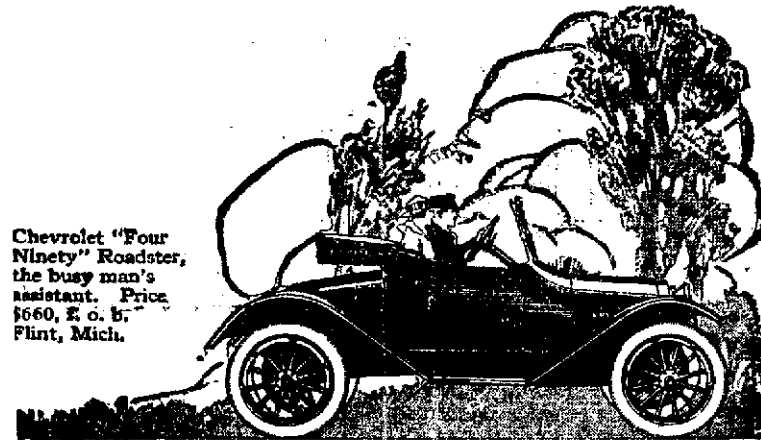
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—and now a popular priced roadster Completely equipped

In deciding the degree of motor car equipment which may be termed complete, only the purchaser's viewpoint counts.

Therefore, in saying that the new model Chevrolet "Four Ninety" Roadster, is completely equipped, we mean that it meets your demands in equipment essential to your comfort and convenience.

It has an electric starting and lighting system.

Its wheels are fitted with demountable rims, one extra rim is furnished. And a tire carrier is provided, fastened to the rear.

It has a storm-proof one-man top, with improved-type curtains that fold up into the top. Flaps on top of doors for protection of the body and finish, are likewise provided.

It has speedometer; pockets in the doors; tilted windshield—every feature of refinement that is commonly associated with cars selling far above Chevrolet prices.

We'd like nothing better than to demonstrate that the Chevrolet "Four Ninety" Roadster is all that we claim for it.









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Nichol St.

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**C. E. Shirey**

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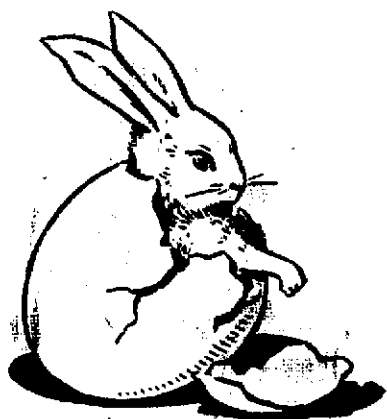
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**Gilliland Bros.**

Daisy Street



**Dennison's**

Easter Novelties

The daintiest of Easter things for your celebration of the Bunny's coming. A description is futile. Come to the store to see all this array of charming daintiness.

**Kurtz Stationery Store**

NOTICE

A festival will be given by the Glen Richey Auxiliary in the Golden Eagles' hall, Glen Richey, March 30. An orchestra will furnish music and two patriotic speakers will be present. Do not fail to attend this as you will miss a great treat.

Committee.

**Why**

do you continue to risk your all without adequate fire protection when we will gladly explain any feature that you may not understand?

**Helmhold & Stewart**  
Snyder Block

## NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS CURWENSVILLE

Miss Mary Cadman has been off duty at the Leitzinger store for the past week owing to sickness.

Boyd Smith is visiting in Watson town.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott McFadden were called to Grampian Wednesday on account of the serious illness of Mrs. William Freeman.

Miss Ruth LaPort who has been in Pittsburgh for some time and who underwent a serious operation of the spine in one of the hospitals there is expected to be able to come home for Easter.

A playette entitled "Who Pays It" was given at Mother's meeting yesterday afternoon in the basement parlors of the M. E. church, after which dainty refreshments were served.

Mrs. Paul Clifford returned to her home at Scranton Tuesday after a six week's visit with her mother Mrs. Lucretia Lines of South Side.

Mrs. Martha Shirk has returned to Clearfield after a visit with her daughter Mrs. R. M. Decker.

The Fifth grade, second floor c. Locust street school rendered a very appropriate Easter literary program yesterday afternoon.

M. A. Caldwell purchased the L. C. Bloom property on State street. Consideration \$8,500.

There was a wreck on the B. & O. P. near Ferncliff Wednesday morning. A Lake Shore freight train had a couple of cars off the track. The cars were loaded with hams and flour. Fortunately no one was hurt nor was there much of the precious food stuff wasted.

B. A. Kindig, eighth grade teacher left yesterday afternoon for his home where he will spend Easter. Mr. Dendix expects to receive his call for service within a few days.

Mrs. Ben Bernstein, of Pittsburgh, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Robinson.

Miss Virginia Milliner of Phillipsburg, is visiting her uncle William Young of South Side.

M. A. Caldwell left on a business trip to Pittsburgh.

The borough schools closed yesterday for the Easter vacation.

Miss Kathryn Shearer left for Buffalo where she will spend Easter.

Mr. Annie Evans has been on the sick list for several days.

Mrs. W. A. Pratt returned home Wednesday evening from Altoona where she had accompanied her daughter Miss Rachel on her return to school at Wilbur Force, O. Miss Rachel who was taken ill while at school was operated upon several weeks ago for appendicitis at McQuirk's sanitarium at Phillipsburg.

Mrs. Alex Frankhouser is under the doctor's care suffering from rheumatism.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Normangood near Arnoldtown, Tuesday, March 26.

Mrs. A. E. Patton is visiting her son Alex in Ohio.

Advertise in The Progress.



## New Garden Areas Should Be Cleared Thoroughly of Trash

LAST YEAR'S RECORD MUST BE PASSED THIS YEAR

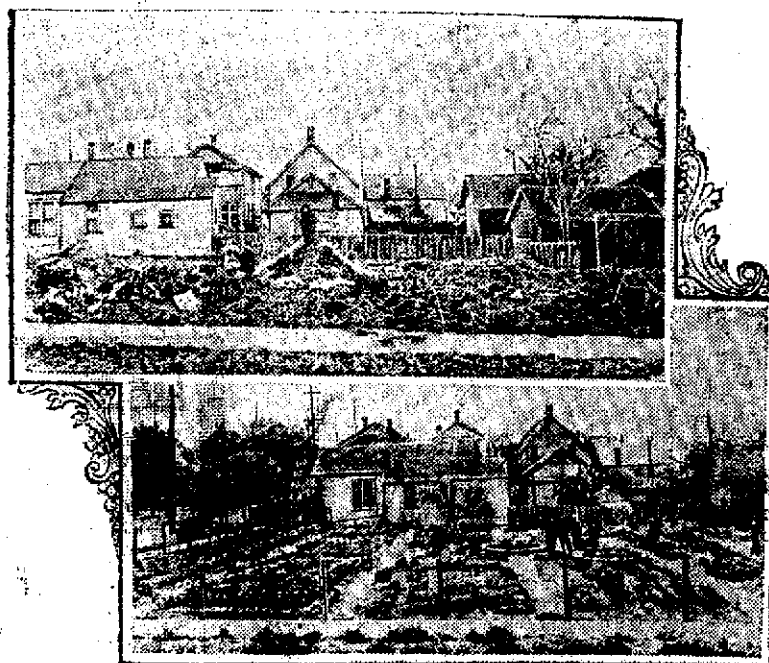
This (1917 home gardening) campaign stimulated, it is estimated, the planting of from two hundred to three hundred per cent more gardens than had ever before produced food in the United States.—From annual report of the United States Secretary of Agriculture.

The first problem in preparing the land for a garden that has not been used for this purpose is to remove all dead weeds, sticks, stones, barbs and trash of any sort. Brains and brawns should be dug up by the roots so they will not sprout again.

Good drainage is essential to a successful garden. If the land is not well drained, this should be corrected as the first step in making the garden. Tile drains may be used or the land may be bedded by plowing it in

application of air-slaked lime or ground limestone to the freshly plowed soil in order that it may have time to correct acidity before planting time arrives. The manure should not be applied with the lime, as loss of nitrogen will occur under these circumstances. The lime should be applied and become mixed with the soil before the manure is applied. The manure should be of a good grade, stable manure either from horses or cattle preferably. Manure that has straw bedding material mixed with it is best, and should be applied at the rate of 25 to 30 tons per acre or from 300 to 400 pounds per square rod.

It is an excellent plan to prepare the soil for planting as needed rather than to fit the whole garden at once. If the work of fitting the ground is done with a team it will not always be feasible to follow this plan. Ground that has not been used for gardening purposes should, in every case where it is possible, be put in condition with a team, as the ground should be cut



These "Before-and-After" Pictures Show What Can Be Accomplished in Converting a Trash-Heap Into a Useful and Eye-Pleasing Garden.

long, narrow lanes, leaving the middle furrow as drainage ditches. In the case of gardens spaded and worked by hand the same results may be had by bedding up the soil. Vegetables will not thrive in poorly drained soil no matter how much care is given them.

### Break Soil Early

Plowing or spading should be done at the earliest possible moment, in order that in sections of the country where freezing occurs the soil may be subjected to freezing so that it will be broken up by the action of the frost and be mellow and friable when planting begins. Nothing aids in the preparation of soil, and especially stiff soils, like freezing and thawing. It is especially important that ground in sod be plowed in time so it will freeze after plowing and grub worms and other hibernating insects may be destroyed.

Where severe freezing is sure to occur after the plowing is done little harm will be done by plowing the ground while wet. Otherwise the ground should not be plowed until fairly dry, or clods will result.

The ground after plowing should be allowed to remain rough until needed.

### Lime Is Important

It is an excellent plan to make an

up with disk or cutaway harrow, thoroughly fining the soil as deeply as it has been plowed, thoroughly mixing the manure with the soil.

### Distribute Hand Labor

It is, of course, possible to do the work just as well by hand, but a considerable amount of labor is involved. For small areas, however, this method is the only practical one. When the garden is to be worked by hand it is especially desirable that the spading be done as early as possible, as the sooner it is done the easier it will be to get the ground in condition. The ground should be worked down only as needed, as this will distribute the labor; and as the rough ground will dry off quicker than that smoothed down, it is possible to get on the ground sooner if left in the rough than when well worked down. It is extremely desirable to get such crops as early peas, early potatoes, and early cabbage plants in as soon as the ground is dry enough, and it is often possible to get these crops planted a week or two earlier by following this plan.

Well-sifted coal ashes, unlike wood ashes, have no fertilizing value, but are useful in lightening soil. Lime will lighten soil and at the same time correct acidity.



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The New Footwear you wish for Easter can be had here at a price so reasonable that you will be surprised, and everything of the best quality.

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To alight from an aeroplane "somewhere in Westminster" in order to attend an important parliamentary debate after a tempestuous channel flight, is a feat recently accomplished by Sir John Simon, who flew from the Flying Corps Headquarters "somewhere in France" direct to the House of Commons.

## HORSES FOR SALE

AT F. B. WILSON'S BARN

9 Head of horses ranging from 12 to 15 hundred. Some cheap ones and one mated team, blacks, 4 years old. Expect to be there Thursday, March 29.

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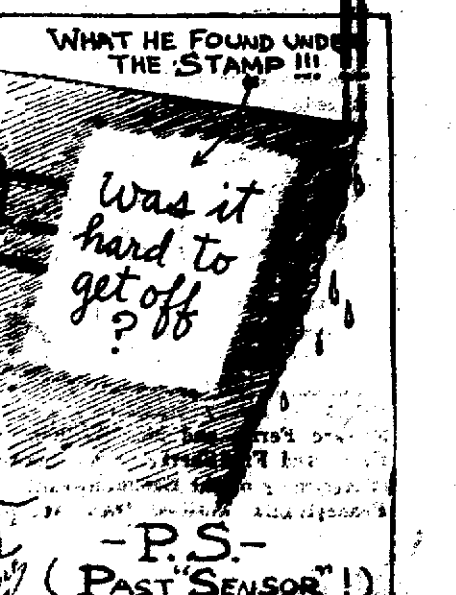
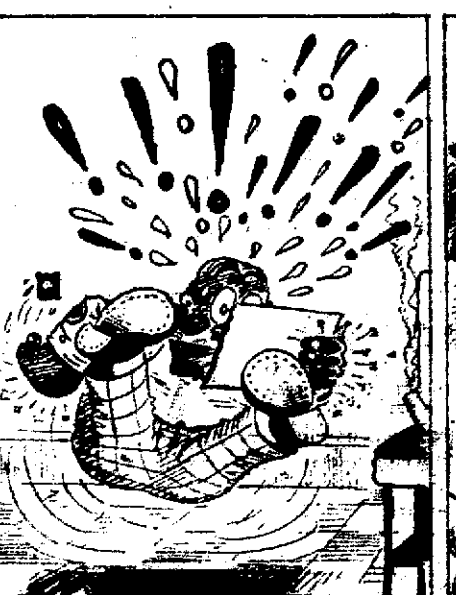
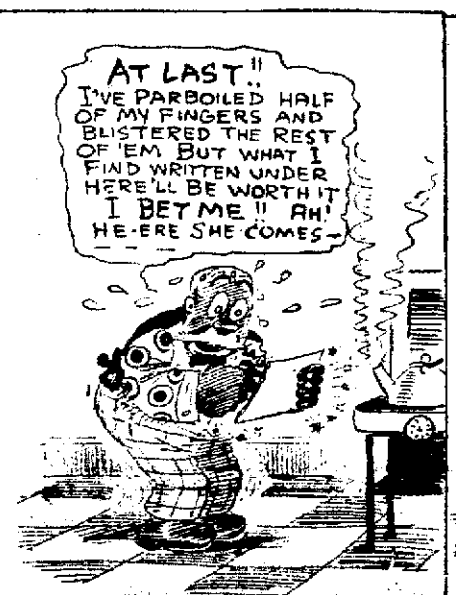
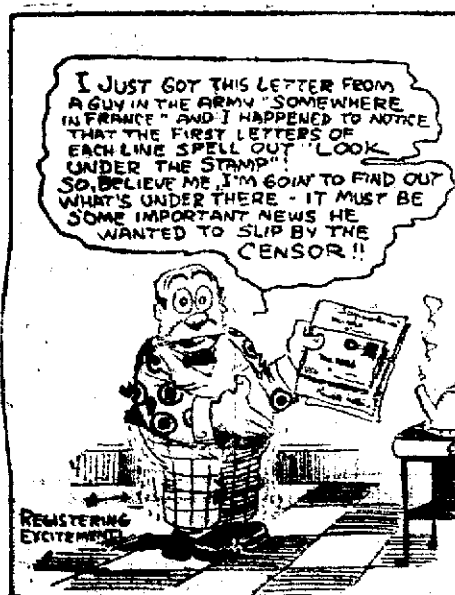
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## NOW MR. WAD KNOWS JUST WHAT "THE HORRORS OF WAR" MEANS!









# GENERAL PERSHING VISITS FRENCH FRONT OFFERING SERVICES OF AMERICAN FORCES

## WEATHER CONDITIONS FAVORABLE TO ALLIES: STORM CRIPPLES ADVANCE

### EVERY PART OF ALLIED LINE HOLDING FIRM IS GIST OF REPORTS FROM HUGE BATTLE FRONT TODAY

### EASTERN FRONT GERMAN MENACE

Paris, March 29.—General Pershing in conference with French officers on the front yesterday asked in his name and in his country's name that the entire American force in France be engaged in the present battle, the war office announced today.

Pershing said the American army was entirely at the disposition of France. He made his request of General Foch while Premier Clemenceau, Minister of Munitions Leclerc and General Petain were conferring with Foch.

"I came to tell you that the American people would feel highly honored if our troops engaged in the present battle," Pershing said. "I ask this in my own name and in the country's name."

The elements have now joined the Allies. Rain and a high wind are sweeping the western front battlefield according to United Press dispatches from Wm. Phillip Simms. Much of the success of the German drive has been attributed to the favorable weather as that enabled them to rush forward their reserves and permit the artillery to keep pace with the infantry. If the rain continues for an extensive period the German transport system will be crippled but the Allies in the past have proven themselves "foot horses"—to use an expression from the race track.

American troops commanded by General Pershing have asked for a more active part in the present battle. The American commander visited General Foch at the front and personally conferred the entire American forces, the French war office announced today.

There is a rapid change in the erstwhile "eastern theatre," according to United Press dispatches from Petrograd dated Wednesday. Since the recapture of Odessa, Kherson and Nicolaeff, the Russian Bolshevik forces have ejected the Germans from small towns in the Kharkoff region. The Russian press is now agitating a redeclaration of war against Germany and the Ukraine have objected so strenuously to the enforcement of some of the provisions of the peace treaty with Germany that some of the conditions have been nullified. This change in the east, it is possible, will furnish some diversion from the western front.

The capture of LeMochel, according to the French official statement, shows the Allies are striking back directly toward Montdidier which is about two miles northwest of LeMochel. The French Communiqué also declared the Anglo-French were holding the Avre region and that Petain's men are retaining villages recaptured yesterday despite strong counter attacks.

#### HOME ON FURLOUGH

James Dale, who is one of Uncle Sam's boys at Camp Hancock, is home on a ten day furlough to visit his father, A. M. Dale, on Park street. Jim is an expert machine gun instructor, having just completed a course in one of the army schools. He is both looking and feeling fine and says the Pennsylvania boys at Camp Hancock are ready and anxious to get into the fight "over there." He told us that his brother James Lieut. George A. Dale, who was recently discharged from the service on account of physical disability is now working on the railroad down in Georgia and hopes to get back in the army when he recovers his usual health.

#### PATRIOTIC MEETING AT BOARDMAN

Messrs. John M. Bain, Hon. Joseph Phillips, A. R. Chase, and John C. Atwood, Esq., addressed a rousing patriotic meeting at Boardman last night.

#### LOCAL BOYS ADVANCING

Henry M. Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. John V. Miller of the Fourth Ward, who was one of the first Clearfield boys to leave for service after war was declared with Germany, has been advanced to the position of Regimental Quartermaster Sergeant of the 108th Field Artillery regiment at Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga. Sergeant Miller and Al Owens, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Owens of Lawrence township, left here together as members of Troop L of Bellefonte of the First Pennsylvania cavalry and were afterwards transferred to the field artillery. Al Owens is now a member of the 103d Regiment.

#### GRANTED A DIVORCE

Mrs. Katherine Kline of Altoona was granted a divorce from Jessie Kline in the Clearfield county courts this morning. Judge Bell acting on the recommendation of H. B. Hartwick, a Commissioner who heard the testimony. The Klines were married at Curwensville in 1900.

#### MISLEADING NEWS

For several days our city lon-temporaries have teemed with news of the valorous doings of the American forces now engaged in the big western drive but few of them have taken the trouble to point out the fact that none of the American Expeditionary Forces under General Pershing have been moved to the battle front. The small unit engaged in the present struggle have been with the Allied armies for some time and General Pershing's request of today bears out our contention that none of the Pershing army are as yet in the fray. Many of our people have been very solicitous of the welfare of them sons recently but practically all can rest assured that their boys are not as yet in it although the indications are that within a week or so the cream of Pershing's men will be on the Allied front.

## MAY HOLD TWO MEETINGS TO HEAR HERO

Lieut. Pericord, Hero Of The Battle Of The Marne, Is A Former Canadian Priest

### RESIGNED TO JOIN THE ARMY

Lieutenant Pericord, of the French army, who will address a patriotic meeting in Clearfield on Thursday night, April 4, was a young French Canadian priest at the time of the outbreak of the war. He immediately resigned his parish, sailed for France and, as he expresses it, is one of the few of the original number of Frenchmen who withstood the German avalanche, alive today.

This great hero of the Marne, putting aside the robes of priesthood to rejoin the colors, his desperate wounds, his five decorations for valor on the field of honor, his presence as the living voice of the fighting man from the front, all will be told by him on next Thursday night, and the committee in charge are making arrangements to have room for every person to get to see this great orator and hear him, although they may have to have two meetings the same night to accommodate the people.

Don't forget the date, as this is a great opportunity and the program will consist of music, both vocal and instrumental, in charge of Prof. Van Osten.

We are informed that Senator Ernest L. Tustin, Chairman of the Speakers' Bureau of Pennsylvania, will accompany Lieutenant Pericord and will make a short address for us on that occasion.

#### APPOINTED COUNTY MEDICAL INSPECTOR

Dr. John W. Gordon has been appointed County Medical Inspector for Clearfield county by the State Department of Health to fill the place made vacant by the death of the late Dr. S. C. Stewart. Dr. Gordon has also been recommended for appointment to succeed Dr. Stewart on the local Exemption Board for District No. 1.

#### PURCHASED NEW FLAGS

The two handsome new flags on the Clearfield High School building were purchased out of the proceeds of the High School lecture and entertainment course.

#### WHERE THE KAISER GETS INSPIRATION

The list of fifteen decisive battles of the world, to which the German Emperor declares he purposes to add a "sixteenth" before the great battle now raging on the western front is concluded, is as follows:

The battle of Marathon, in which the Persian hosts were defeated by the army of Greeks under Miltiades, B. C. 490.

The defeat of the Athenians at Syracuse, B. C. 413.

The battle of Arbela, in which the Persians under Darius were defeated by the invading Greeks under Alexander the Great, B. C. 331.

The battle of Metaurus, in which the Carthaginian forces under Hasdrubal were overthrown by the Romans, B. C. 207.

Victory of the German tribes under Arminius over the Roman legions under Varus, A. D. 9.

Battle of Chancellorsville, where Attila the Terrible, King of the Huns, was repulsed by the Romans under Aetius, A. D. 541.

Battle of Tours, in which the Saracen Turks invading western Europe were utterly overthrown by the Franks under Charles Martel, A. D. 732.

Battle of Hastings, by which William the Conqueror became the ruler of England, Oct. 15, 1066.

Victory of the French under Joan of Arc over the English at Orleans, April 29, 1429.

Defeat of the Spanish armada by the English naval force, July 29-30, 1588.

Battle of Blenheim, in which the French and Bavarians were defeated by the allied armies of Great Britain and Holland under the Duke of Marlborough, Aug. 2, 1701.

Battle of Pultowa, where the Swedish army under Charles XII was defeated by the Russians under Peter the Great, July 8, 1709.

Victory of the American army under General Gates over the British under General Burgoyne, at Saratoga, Oct. 17, 1777.

Battle of Valmy, where the allied armies of Prussia and Austria were defeated by the French under Marshal Kellerman, Sept. 20, 1792.

Battle of Waterloo, in which the allied forces of the British and Prussians defeated the French under Napoleon, the final overthrow of the great commander, June 18, 1815.

#### AN APPRECIATION

Clearfield County Home  
March 28, 1918

Rev J J Resh  
Dear Brother

We wish to express our sorrow of your absence from us, as we expect you to be with us a while yet. As our Chaplain we loved you and will miss you from among us. We know you were always sincere and true to your profession and to God and your fellow man. But as you are moved from us we wish you unbending success in your new field of labor. During your stay with us we always knew we had a good friend and one of true feeling for us and we always welcomed you and looked for your presence with us and know and feel sure you was always glad to be here, as we truly consider you the best Chaplain our home has ever had. We all wish you God speed and His blessings and when your good work is finished here that your good home will be awaiting you in the great beyond which God has prepared for you. Now we will say good bye, and wish you, Mrs. Resh and family well and hope you will find it better and your presence with your new congregation will be appreciated.

Thank you for the good feeling you have brought upon us for you and for all good work done for us and at our home. We all remain,  
Yours with respect  
S S BAILEY  
L V THOMPSON  
And others of the Home

## SHAPLEN'S CABLE

By Jos. S. Shaplen  
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Petrograd, March 27.—German War Minister Kuhlman, replying to a protest, declared that Germany was justified in sending armed forces into Finland on the grounds of Ambassador Francis's statement regarding America's readiness to assist in restoring the status quo in violation of the Brest Litovsk peace treaty.

Members of the Russian Soviet replied that Francis merely quoted President Wilson's message to which ratification of the treaty furnished a rejoinder. Anti-German feeling in Russia is more intense now than at any time since the beginning of the war. Kuhlman's reply to the protest against German occupation of Odessa declared Odessa is in Ukrainian territory. After the Russians recaptured Odessa 10,000 workmen in Kharhoff (350 miles northeast of Odessa and 250 miles east of Kiev) resolved to disregard the Soviet order to evacuate and decided to defend the city to the last. They also began removing large stores of metals.

Under the English law a woman cannot marry her deceased husband's brother.

## KAISER LOSING WILD GAMBLE WITH DEATH

Mason, Military Expert Of The United Press, Sees No Reason For Pessimism

### FRENCH HAVE BIG RESERVE

By J. W. T. Mason  
Written for the United Press  
New York, March 29.—By restraining further movement of Germany's first reserve troops across France, America's increasing military strength along the Alsace-Lorraine border is exerting what may prove to be a decisive influence upon the progress of Hindenburg's attack against the Anglo-French line.

The key to the situation now confronting Hindenburg, Haig and Pétain is the question of reserves. Both sides must depend for a renewal of activity upon fresh reinforcements. If Hindenburg were able to bring up still more shock troops and to slaughter them in large numbers as a further sacrifice to the Hohenzollerns, the situation along the west front would cause much anxiety. There are German reserves ready for such a purpose concentrated at Metz, and southern Alsace.

It would be fatal, however, for Hindenburg to draw on them if they were to vanish the road to the Rhine would be made into an easy passage for General Pershing. Were it not for the American armies now in eastern France and the fast arriving American reinforcements, there would be nothing to prevent Hindenburg from throwing at least a quarter of a million more men into the western combat at the critical moment.

America's part in the war on a major scale therefore, has already begun to be played though in silence and without any large activity.

## FRENCH SUFFER SMALL LOSS BUT HOLD

Take Great Encouragement From Offer Of General Pershing To Participate In Battle

### REPULSE ALL HUN ATTACKS

By United Press  
Paris, March 29.—The French are holding firmly to all territory recaptured from the enemy yesterday in the Montdidier region according to official announcement issued this afternoon. In the Montdidier region despite counter attacks we held the villages recaptured yesterday, says the statement. We stormed LeMochel and repulsed counter attacks against Pleisidensjades, North of Montdidier. The Anglo-French forces are holding the enemy on the Avre river.

#### GEN. BLISS REPORTS

Washington, March 29.—The enemy is being held on all points was the report of General Bliss read to the House Military committee this morning by General March. Bliss' report read before the weekly joint war department house military conference indicated the situation although still grave is gradually assuming favorable shape for the allies.

#### AMERICAN AVIATOR HAS FINE RECORD

Paris, March 29.—Davies Putnam, of Brookline, Mass., a member of the Lafayette Escadrille has brought down two or more German aeroplanes making a total of five of which four are "official." While patrolling German lines Putnam was attacked by three monoplanes and after a sharp fight he brought one down and the others fled. Later Putnam was attacked by two biplanes and he brought down one of them. Putnam was decorated with the French war cross and promoted to a Sergeant. He has not yet obtained his transfer to the American air forces.

#### A VICTORY FOR MILITARY TRAINING

Washington, March 29.—By a vote of 35 to 32 the Senate today refused to table Senator New's universal military training amendment which provides for the registration of all young men who became 21 since last June.

#### TAKES ALLEGIANCE PLEDGE AFTER INSULT TO U. S. FLAG

Williamsport, Pa., March 27.—Following the remark that he "would not walk across the street to save America," George Derrick, of Clearfield, was yesterday made to repeat the pledge of allegiance to the American flag as he stood in police court as Mayor Hoagland held an emblem over his head.

Derrick was knocked out into the street by E. B. Rupert, an express driver, for his remark and as he dropped he fell into the arms of a policeman who arrested him.

#### RETURNED HOME FROM PITTSBURGH

Mrs. Wilhelmina McCullough, who spent the winter at the home of her daughter Mrs. James I. Goodlander in Pittsburgh, arrived in Clearfield on last evening's Pennsylvania train accompanied by her daughter Mrs. D. Guppy with whom she makes her home. Mrs. McCullough who is in her 80th year had a couple of severe cold spells during the winter, but stood the fatigues of the long journey remarkably well and is overjoyed to get back home again.

The West Side M E Ladies Aid Society will hold a cake sale in Kaepff Furniture Store, Second street, Saturday afternoon, March 30, at two o'clock.

## BRITISH STOP EVERY RUSH OF GERMANS

Report Of General Haig Believes With Optimism And Assurance That Allied Line Will Hold

### ENEMY DRAWS ON RESERVES

London, March 29.—"Our positions were maintained against strong attacks north of the Somme yesterday afternoon and evening and we gained ground by successful counter attacks," Haig reported today. Heavy continuous fighting continued south of the Somme until late in the evening. We maintained our lines throughout the day in the face of repeated assaults by superior enemy forces. We have withdrawn to short distance from the advanced points. The British took a number of prisoners and machine guns north of the Somme inflicting heavy losses on the enemy," Haig continued. "The frequent attacks with great determination throughout the day (Thursday) only gained our out posts. After severe hand to hand fighting, his reserves sent forward against our positions were stopped by our machine guns, artillery and rifles did great execution."

#### By Ed. L. Keel By United Press

London, March 29.—There is no reason yet to believe that General Ludendorff has increased his prospect of winning the great political gamble—which is the real character of the German offensive. Every effort thus far made to draw in the allied reserves has failed. Meantime the German line has been compelled to take an increasingly precarious shape. Obviously the German command has been forced to draw on its own reserves still intact will be able to strike where they please.

#### By William Phillip Simms

With the British army in the field, March 29.—The fighting continued today despite the sudden change in weather which had set a gale and rain sweeping across the battle field. The Germans with oil-like perseverance are battling away against the British lines in the region of Arras. The enemy made some progress occupying the front line trenches at Orange Hill and Neuville-Vitasse.

#### BRIDGE PARTY

Miss Edna Johnson was hostess at a small bridge party yesterday afternoon at her home on South Second street. There were two tables of progressive bridge in play during the afternoon and the high bridge score was held by Miss Vera Fultord. Excellent refreshments were served.

Dr. Kate B. Karpels, a Johns Hopkins university graduate now serving with the emergency dispensary of the Army Medical department to the first women to receive the relative rank of Staff Lieutenant in the army.

Not only the design but the color of the rugs, worn in the home, are full of significance. They represent national or individual traditions and stand for virtues, vices and social importance.

FARMERS ATTENTION  
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#### BIG MEAT SALE

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## THE GOLD STAR IN THE FLAG

There is fineness in the question "What shall we do, when the casualty lists come, with the blue stars on the red-bordered service flags denoting that one or more has gone from the house into the service, and he for whom the star is shown has given his life?" It is plain that the star cannot be erased, for the life represented is more rather than less worthy of honor. The suggestion is made that the star of blue for the living shall be replaced by a star of gold for the one whose life has been given.

The idea is appropriate and excellent. Gold is believed to be an imperishable metal and is, therefore, the most appropriate to symbolize the deed of one who has given his life for his country. When the time comes let us by all means use the gold star.

## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

### FOR CONGRESS

We are authorized to announce the name of Jonathan G. Gorman, Pa., as a candidate for the office of congressman in the twenty-first congressional district, composed of Clearfield, Center, Cameron and McKean counties, subject to the rules of the Republican party. P. O. address, Clearfield, Pa.

We are authorized to announce the name of Henry W. Brown of Clearfield, Pa., as a candidate for Representative in Congress from the twenty-first Congressional District, subject to the rules governing the Republican party. P. O. address, Clearfield, Pa.

We are authorized to announce the name of William I. Swope of Clearfield as a candidate for the office of Congressman to represent the 21st Congressional district composed of Clearfield, Center, Cameron and McKean Counties. Subject to the rules of the Republican party, Primary May 21st, 1918.

We are authorized to announce the name of John H. Johnson of McKean County, as a candidate for Congress from the Twenty-first Congressional District, composed of the counties of McKean, Cameron, Clearfield and Clearfield, subject to the rules of the Republican party. P. O. address, Clearfield, Pa.

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### FOR STATE SENATE

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### FOR ASSEMBLY

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## GIVE THE KID A PLOT IN YOUR WAR GARDEN

Instead of having community or plot gardens the school authorities are arranging this year for home gardens. Prof. Clair Ross, who will again be in charge has prepared a circular embodying the details and all necessary instructions concerning the plan, following the outlines laid down by the Federal agricultural department. This circular will be given to each pupil and by them submitted to their parents. In addition thereto an enrollment card will also be provided and each parent asked to give his or her consent to the pupil taking hold of the home garden project.

Following the consent of the parent the student is given the necessary examination and if accepted for the work the garden manager or superintendent then instructs them in their work, sends them in laying out their garden plot and will give the same supervising attention during the season.

This plan should work out highly satisfactory and result in great good. The garden manager will keep a record of each card and mark every acre according to his deserts and after harvest time the crops raised will be entered.

Agricultural and domestic science teachers at the Clearfield County Fair in the school garden products competition which provides the following prizes:

|               | 1st  | 2d   | 3d   |
|---------------|------|------|------|
| Fourth grade  | 1.50 | .75  | .50  |
| Fifth grade   | 1.00 | .75  | .50  |
| Sixth grade   | 2.00 | 1.00 | .75  |
| Seventh grade | 2.00 | 1.00 | .75  |
| Eighth grade  | 2.50 | 1.50 | 1.00 |
| High School   | 2.50 | 1.50 | 1.00 |

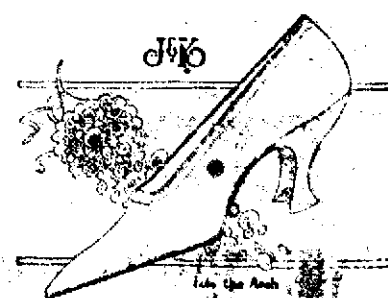
DOCTORS PRESCRIBE  
BACORN'S FORKOLA  
FOR COLIC IN THE  
HEAD AND CATARRH

It is well known that colic and catarrh of the stomach and bowels are often the result of indigestion and are attended with much suffering. Bacorn's Forkola is a powerful and reliable remedy for these troubles and is recommended by all the leading physicians.

Week End Savings At  
The Pure Food Stores

Jefferson County buckwheat, flour, Full 10 lb. sacks, today per sk. 79c  
Fine ground yellow corn meal, Made from kiln dried corn. Per sack of 10 pounds 65c  
Soup beans, Red marrowfats, equal to Michigan navy beans. Special 25c  
Macaroni or spaghetti, full size packages, Special for Saturday, 3 boxes for 25c  
Durham's shredded coconut, regular 10c package 8c  
Canned sweet potatoes, regular 25c grade, special at, per can 18c  
Custard pumpkin in large No. 3 cans, worth 18c per can, special at, per can 14c  
Preserves, Crutro brand, 35c size, special at, jar 29c  
Libby's asparagus tips or spears worth 35c per can, special 29c  
Jersey corn flakes still 10c per package.  
High grade washboards lowly priced at, each 49c, 59c, 69c

For Real  
Trimness  
of Ankle



A Pair of Our Pumps

Pumps—the dainty footwear of Spring in new and most attractive patterns—that are sure to please you. That look of distinction—of individuality which always marks quality apparel is one of the most striking features of our Spring Time Shoe Styles.

Lytle Brothers

Market St. Opposite Court House, Clearfield, Pa.

# ADAMS

◆ Pure Chewing Gum ◆

a Stick a day  
keeps  
Dyspepsia  
away

# BLACK JACK



MASON'S  
DAILY  
WAR  
REVIEW

By J. W. T. Mason  
Written for the United Press

New York, March 23.—Hindenburg's "daughters" of Germany are maintaining the absolute power of the Hohenzollerns continues to center along the southern front under the Hohenzollern Crown Prince, with increasing danger for the German army.

Every mile of advance by the Germans south of the Somme means Hindenburg's left flank more vulnerable. The announcement from Paris that only a few French divisions are being used in the present battle must cause disquietude and caution at the Kaiser's headquarters.

The bulk of the French reserves are free to develop a major attack against the German flank south of the Somme, if Hindenburg pushes a salient too far to the west. Even the risks that Hindenburg is prepared to run to perpetuate Hohenzollern autocracy must reach their limit when confronted with the possibility of French reserve power striking Germany's flank.

The German people are showing signs of uneasiness at the fact that the French troops have not been tempted to waste their strength in the present onslaught. Already, therefore, a slight reaction is appearing in Germany against the promises of the Hohenzollerns that the Kaiser's human sacrifices would win the war for those German people that were left.

With the French army still fresh, German socialists are beginning to see that the battle now raging cannot be decisive for Germany. Soon a realization of the part the American army is yet to play in the struggle will add more powerfully to the reaction.

There is no reason for pessimism in the face of the manner in which the fighting is proceeding. At every important point the Germans are being held and there are increasing indications that the initiative is beginning to pass to the British and French. The Allies' line is now being strengthened by fresh reinforcements, while von Hindenburg's reserve lines are growing fewer. The Kaiser is losing his gamble with death.

## WON A LIEUTENANCY

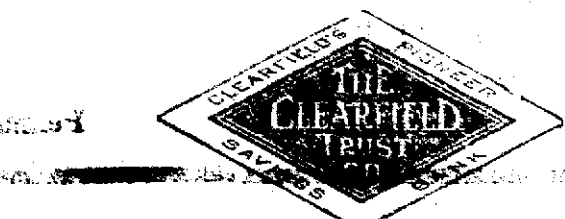
William E. Wallace received word Tuesday evening from his son, G. Bruce Wallace, that he had passed the required examinations and received a commission as Second Lieutenant in the Aviation Corps. He has been training at the U. S. Technical School, Augusta, Georgia, for several months. He will now go to Kelly Field, San Antonio, Texas, for advanced practice and general aviation experience.

## Clearfield's Prosperous People

are not necessarily those of the largest earning capacity. More important than the sum earned is the amount saved—laid aside from present income to insure progress and permanent success.

The savings facilities of this institution are available to all progressive residents.

Our Officers extend a cordial invitation to open an account here.



## SECOND WARD HOSE COMPANY HAS 15 MEN IN SERVICE

The Second Ward Hose Company unfurled a service flag at a public meeting held in their hose house on members of this company in the service of their country at present.

The following interesting program was carried out:  
Roll call of members in service  
Singing of America by members  
Address by W. L. Hays, Hon. Solo, "The Road to Home Rule"  
Hymn  
Address by H. H. Hays, Hon. Solo, "The Road to Home Rule"  
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Benediction  
Miss Martha Haines presided acceptably at the piano during the evening.  
Following is a list of the boys of No. 2 Company in the service:  
Harry J. Davis, 59 U. S. Infantry Band, Camp Greene, Charlotte, N. C.  
Sergeant Ferd Mignot, Base Hospital, Camp Lee, Virginia.  
Thomas H. Hartwick, Section 502 S. A. C. A., Allentown, Pa.  
F. Gregory Hartwick, American Mission Transport, A. E. F. Reserve, Mallet, France.  
Edgar Markle, Co. D, First U. S. Engineers, A. E. F., France.  
Raymond V. Bloom, Co. D 49 Infantry, Brooklyn, New York.  
Ralph W. Dunlap, M. G. Co. 9th Infantry, A. E. F., France.  
Sergeant John L. Zimmerman, Co. D 4th Infantry, Camp Stuart, Newport News, Va.  
William E. Beck, Co. A 305 Ammunition Train, Camp Lee, Va.  
G. Webb Shillingford, Clearfield, Pa.  
Private A. E. Mollett, 117 Aero Squad, A. E. F., England.  
Chas. D. Feight, Casual Detachment, 4th Regiment, M. M. S. C., Camp Hancock.  
Samuel Powell, Ordnance Department, Washington, D. C.  
Dent S. Holden, Co. 10, 3rd T. Battalion, 155 D. Brigade, Camp Lee, Va.  
Vincent Stock, Eleventh 80C Vincent Stock, First Training Brigade, Kelly Field, San Antonio, Texas.

## ABOLISH SALOONS BUT WILL SELL IN BULK FORM

Los Angeles, Cal., March 20.—Midnight tomorrow night will mark the passing of the saloons in Los Angeles. As a result of the vote taken at the initiative election of last November the metropolis of southern California is to become tolerably "dry". Absolute prohibition would probably have been adopted if it had not been for special consideration given to the interests of the winemakers, whose industry is one of the most important of this section. While the ordinance about to become operative provides for the abolition of the saloons it will permit the sale in original packages and in quantities of wines and liquors, the alcoholic content of which does not exceed fourteen per cent, and will allow cafes and restaurants to serve such wines and liquors until 9 p. m., but not later.



Next to Letterman

## Workman's Cash Stores

Three Stores

Daisy St.

West Side

Third St.



## HELP ALONG THE THRIFT MOVEMENT

Make every Monday Thrift Monday. Use Fels-Naptha soap. It enables you to be thrifty with fuel; and it saves wear and tear on clothes by cutting down washboard rubbing.

At your own grocer's

## LETTERS FROM OUR SOLDIER BOYS

Camp Lee, Va.

Dear Mother:

Well, today we had our first experience in firing. We were out on the range all day but went out in trucks so came back and had our dinner in the barracks. This was the first time that I had ever done any shooting so was expecting to see some fun. But when I fired my first shot and found out that there was no kick to the rifle was awful sorry when we had to come in for supper.

This practice on the rifle range is the best thing we have done yet. Before when I would see the infantry going out to the range I would think that they had it pretty hard but did not know then what we were missing. Expect we will go out every day this week for practice. Back of the targets you can see the trees that are cut off by being hit with the bullets.

Harry left here this morning on the early train and I gave him a letter to give to you. He said that you wanted one of those large pictures of the camp so on Saturday will go up to the camp photographer and get one for you. Some of the other companies have started giving out furloughs but do not know when we will get them as we have not received our new men yet and so are pretty busy taking care of our horses.

With love  
G. B. TROXEL

## WALLACETON

Mrs. Allen Woodside of Philipsburg was a caller at the home of her parents here on Thursday.

Wm. and Burton Twoey, Roy Johnson and Clair Smith enjoyed an auto ride to Philipsburg on Tuesday evening.

W. S. Bressler, our Chief Burgess had business at Philipsburg on Thursday afternoon.

Dominic Buffano had business at the burg on Thursday.

Grover Johnson, one of our town's popular young fellows, and Wm. Twoey, who lives a short step from town, have passed the examination at Clearfield, been accepted for service and have received notice to entrain at Clearfield on April 2nd, for a training camp. These two boys are good husky fellows and no doubt will give their country good service. A bunch of our fellows will be in Clearfield that day to pass the boys a glad hand. The former mentioned is an electrician, having been employed by the Penn Public Service Company at Philipsburg.

Chas. Goss, now employed at Philipsburg, had business here on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Goss have just returned from a few weeks visit to the latter's home at York, Pa.

## IMPORTANT

At 2:00 A. M. March 31st the clocks in all offices and the watches of all employees of this company will be advanced one hour—that is, from 2:00 A. M. to 3:00 A. M., and all trains will be operated thereafter under the revised standard time as inaugurated by the Government under the Daylight Saving Law.

BUFFALO, ROCHESTER & PITTSBURGH RAILWAY

Razors were used in the remote areas, and they are mentioned in the Book of Numbers.

## HIS OWN STORY HOLDS A THRILL

Well-Known Pittsburgher is Qualified to Speak for Multitude

E. C. Byers, of 347 Pearl street, a well-known Pittsburgh butcher says: "I had constant spells of choking and coughing because of the secretions of mucus in my nose and throat, which I eventually swallowed as I slept and which finally affected my stomach. I would wake four or five times a night because of the choking sensations. Rarely did I ever get a night's rest."

"When I decided to take a remedy a friend said: 'You will not make a mistake if you try Tanlac.' I believed him. I have used two bottles and Tanlac has helped me so much that I just want to tell every one what it has done for me. My catarrh has practically gone entirely. I sleep much better and my sense of taste and smell that were badly affected have improved wonderfully. My appetite, too, has come back and I feel like I could eat eight or nine times a day. The pain over my eyes and in other parts of my head has disappeared. I get up in the morning with a clear head, and not all stuffed up and dizzy as formerly." Tanlac is now sold here by Woodward & McPherson.

## DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

HORNED TOAD.

"In a far warmer climate than we know at this season of the year," commenced Daddy, "there lived a little horned toad."

"I am a very superior toad," he said one day to his small grandchild, "and some day, young man, or young toad, you will be one too."

"Will I really, Grandpa Toad?" he asked. "How very wonderful. Will it be long before I am what you are—that big word—I don't remember it?"

"Superior is what you mean," said Grandpa Toad, "no, young toad, you will be superior before long. It means that you will be fine and great."

"Oh, will it?" he asked again, so happy did the thought of it make him. "I said you would, and I make no mistakes," said Grandpa Toad severely.

"So the little toad kept very still for he was afraid he had hurt his grandfather's feelings, and perhaps he wouldn't be great if he kept on saying such foolish things, and repeating the same thing over again."

"Young toad," said Grandpa after a few minutes, "I will forgive you for you are young." And the little toad ran nearer to his grandfather.

"May I hear about it all—the days ahead—and of your adventures, Grandpa?"

"You may, my toad grandson, you may."

"Could you begin the story now?" asked the little toad, in a meek voice.

"I will begin it at once, my toad grandson," said Grandpa Toad.

"So Grandpa Toad flapped his queer horns, of which he was very proud, and the little toad drew nearer."

"My dear toad grandson," he said, "you are a horned toad like myself and so you start off with great luck. In the next place you have a great deal of sense. You would not live in lands which are wet and cold, and in the very bad winter months you know enough to go to sleep under the sand."

"It is warmer down here than it is way up North so we can get up much earlier than our toad cousins can there. You like flies and ants, and as Grandpa Toad said so, his grandson swallowed a fine big fly."

"That was a good one," said Grandpa Toad, "and I like the way you hold it first on your tongue. That is the correct way."

"Well, you like to lie in the hot sun, just as I do, and you cannot bear rain and chilly weather. You are



"My Dear Toad Grandson," He Said.

harmless and mild and you would not hurt anyone—except of course you do like to eat flies and ants, which is perfectly natural. But best of all, you don't have to hop about like your cousin toads do, but you can run—as I can, and so you are very superior!"

"Will you tell me some of your adventures, Grandpa dear? I would like to be wise and smart as you are. I am so glad to hear that I do things the way you do. It makes me very happy."

"Once," said Grandpa Toad, "I was attacked by a dangerous creature, and do you want to know what I did?"

"Oh, yes, please, grandpa."

"Very well, my grandson toad, I will tell you, and I hope you will do the same if ever such a thing happens to you. I stretched out as though I were dead, and then when danger was past I hurried away."

"But once more I thought I had better be careful so I covered myself with sand, only letting my eyes stay out."

"How did you get the sand over you, Grandpa?"

"With my tail. See?" And Grandpa Toad gave his grandson a lesson in how to protect himself.

"So you are pleased with me, Grandpa Toad?" said the little one, as he practiced getting the sand over him.

"Indeed I am, my grandson toad," said Grandpa, "and now let's run quickly to show the whole world that we're the superior running Horned Toads. And if the whole world happens to be asleep and not looking—we'll run just the same, for it will make us happy and healthy and fine."

"Then we will take a rest in the sunny sand and have a luncheon of ants and flies!"

What People Think.

When a girl snaps out that she does not care what anybody thinks about her, she has made a very foolish speech. A good reputation is not the thing of first importance. Character outranks it. But next in importance, to what we are, is what people think of us. Our happiness and to a large extent our usefulness, depend on the opinion of defiance, makes a blunder whose seriousness can hardly be overestimated.—Girl's Companion.

Anyone having old papers and magazines they wish to give to the Y. M. C. A. should notify Mrs. F. B. Irvin or Mrs. W. E. Wallace.

LEITZINGER BROS. LEITZINGER BROS. LEITZINGER BROS.

## New For Easter Wear

### A Splendid Collection of Fashionable and Beautifully Tailored Coats Suits and Dresses

Hundreds of styles at attractive prices.

|                   |                    |                   |                    |
|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| Coats .....       | \$7.50 to \$50.00  | Suits .....       | \$15.00 to \$60.00 |
| Silk dresses .... | \$11.00 to \$35.00 | Serge dresses ... | \$15.00 to \$28.50 |

## Lovely Easter Waists

lines. The loveliest waists we have eved and beaded. Many different neck Sheer Georgette and voiles, tucker shown.

## Easter Millinery

Big medium and small hats in all black. Black that is color touched or in color that matches the costume. Also blues—especially Peking, old blues and French blues.

## Easter Dress Accessorier

Your needs for a stylish Easter outfit can be splendidly met here. Shoes to match your costume. Gloves—new Spring styles. Veils—neckwear and hosiery. Handsome and dainty ribbons and laces. Everything in Easter readiness.

## Infants Easter Outfits

Dainty little caps and bonnets of silk, lace, straw and ribbon. Little coats—cloth, silk and velvet. Coat sweaters in all shades.

## LEITZINGER BROTHERS

"THE BIG STORE"

Market Street, Clearfield, Pa.

## COLD ON CHEST AND SORE THROAT ENDED OVERNIGHT

A Big, Yellow Box of Begy's Mustardine for 25 Cents—Doctors Prescribe It.

You get action with Mustardine—it drives out pain in half the time it takes other remedies—it's the quickest pain killer on earth

Stops coughing almost instantly; ends sore throat and chest colds over night. Nothing like it for neuralgia, lumbago, neuritis and to speedily drive away rheumatic pains and reduce swollen joints.



None of this Necessary—Use BEGY'S MUSTARDINE—All Well by Morning. Mustardine is the original non-blistering prescription that takes the place but is 10 times as efficient as Grandmother's old-fashioned mustard plaster. Use it for sprains, strains, bruises, sore muscles, stiff neck, swollen joints, neuralgia and frost-bitten feet and chilblains. Be sure it's Begy's Mustardine in the yellow box. 25 cents.

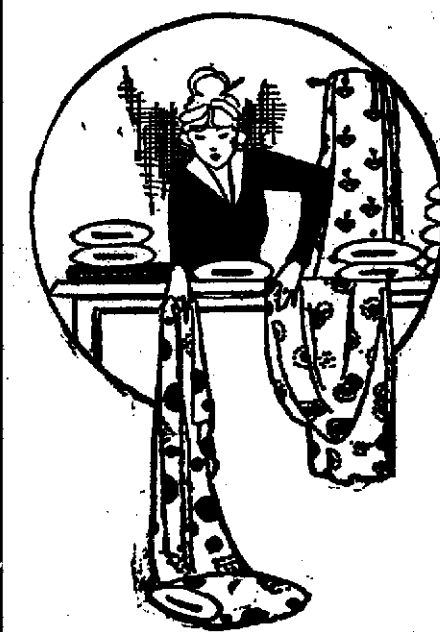
## BIG MEAT SALE

Don't fail to see W. P. Norris' line-up for Easter. Everything is always cheaper there than anywhere else in town and goods the very best that money will buy. Come early in the morning to avoid the rush. Over \$1000 worth of meats of all kinds must be sold tomorrow.

## COAL FOR SALE AT DUMP

The undersigned is prepared to supply custom coal at \$2.00 per ton at the dump.

E. E. NELSON  
Clearfield, Pa.  
M26-6tp



Something

New

Hawaiian

Cloth

This is one of the new creations of the weaver's art. Something like a voile, yet it has a closer weave. Has a water shedding finish, though we do not guarantee it to be waterproof.

For automobile wear this is one of the greatest materials that has ever been produced.

It's inexpensive, too, selling for only 50c the yard

Full yard wide and we have it in navy and a soft medium gray.

## BEACH CLOTH

One of the popular dress materials on account of its light weight and good wearing qualities.

We have this in navy, cope, tan, rose, and white. Full yard wide. The yard

40c

## Ross & Woods

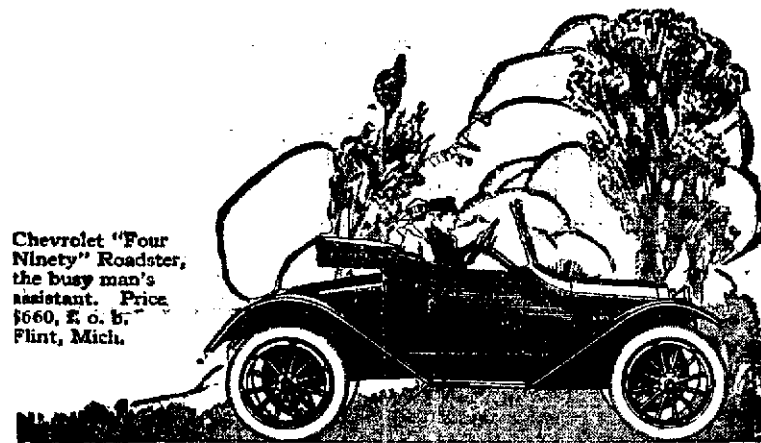
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Chevrolet "Four Ninety" Roadster, the busy man's assistant. Price \$660, 2 o. b. Flint, Mich.



## and now a popular priced roadster Completely equipped

In deciding the degree of motor car equipment which may be termed complete, only the purchaser's viewpoint counts.

Therefore, in saying that the new model Chevrolet "Four Ninety" Roadster, is completely equipped, we mean that it meets your demands in equipment essential to your comfort and convenience.

It has an electric starting and lighting system.

Its wheels are fitted with demountable rims, one extra rim is furnished. And a tire carrier is provided, fastened to the rear.

It has a storm-proof one-man top, with improved-type curtains that fold up into the top. Flaps on top of doors for protection of the body and finish, are likewise provided.

It has speedometer; pockets in the doors; tilted windshield—every feature of refinement that is commonly associated with cars selling far above Chevrolet prices.

We'd like nothing better than to demonstrate that the Chevrolet "Four Ninety" Roadster is all that we claim for it.





Society Brand Clothes

**T**HE first advantage of buying you Easter Suit here [is] the values you will receive. The second advantage is the largeness and completeness of the assortment we offer. This combination makes the logical place for you to come.

## Society Brand Easter Suits at \$20 to \$45

They are durable—of woollens carefully chosen and expertly tailored. They are smart in style—in models, single and double breasted, that the young men will prefer this Spring, and the more conservative styles of his father's choice. They are low priced—due to our domi-

nance in clothing markets through ability to dispose of merchandise in large volume.

These Easter suits are the logical choice of every man and young man seeking the best possible style and quality at the price.

*Your Easter Suit is Here—Come in and get it at once—and save money*

### H. J. FLEGAL

"STYLE HEADQUARTERS"—Where Society Brand Clothes Are Sold

#### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CHARTER

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania, on Wednesday, April 24th, 1918, at ten o'clock A. M. by William J. Ferris, Edward F. Flegal, and Mrs. William J. Ferris, under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act to

Provide for the Incorporation and Regulation of certain Corporations," approved April 29th, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation, to be called "HOUTZDALE REALTY COMPANY," the character and object whereof is the purchasing or object-wise acquiring, holding, improving, developing, selling, leasing, mortgaging or otherwise disposing of real estate, and any rights or interests therein, and for these purposes to till the thirteenth century, without

benefits, and enjoy all the rights, coal till the fourteenth, without but-benefits, and privileges of the said term on their broad till the fifteenth, Act of Assembly and its Supplements, without tobacco and potatoes till the sixteenth, without tea, coffee and soap till the seventeenth, without umbrellas and lamps till the eighteenth and without trains, telegrams, telephone-cables and matches till the nineteenth.

People who complain because they cannot get some of the little luxuries they used to enjoy in the pre-war days might do well to remember that their forefathers lived without sugar

and get results.

#### ECKMAN'S Calcerbs

INVALUABLE FOR COLDS  
If taken in time, this Calcium compound lessens the risk of chronic throat or lung trouble. All the remedial and tonic qualities are contained in this Calcium compound. For sale by all druggists. 50 cents a box, including war tax.

### KARTHAUS BOY HAS HONOR OF BEING INJURED IN ACTION

William Zimmerman, of Karthaus, received word yesterday from the War Department at Washington that his son W. L. Zimmerman had been slightly wounded, while serving his country on the battlefields of France.

On October 15th last two of Mr. Zimmerman's sons, W. L., aged 21 years, and J. H., aged 23, heard their country's call for men, and going to Pittsburgh enlisted in the aviation branch of the U. S. service. They were sent to Columbus Barracks, and from there to the aviation training ground in Texas.

On February 25th last both boys arrived in France and on March 27th Mr. Zimmerman was notified by the War Department that his son W. L. Zimmerman had been slightly wounded in a German air raid.

The Zimmermans are originally from Centre county, but William Zimmerman has lived near Karthaus for the past thirty-five years. He carried the mail between Karthaus and Clearfield for the late Andrew Rankin for a number of years and is well known along the old stage route. He is a patriotic American citizen and rejoices over the fact that his two sons are at the front doing their bit for Uncle Sam.

### IRISH JIG NOT ON THE PROGRAM

The business meeting of the Men's Bible class held last evening in the West Side church was a misnomer. It wasn't a business meeting at all. It turned out to be one of the most sociable gatherings ever held in this city and those who were in attendance are glad that it fell to their fortunate lot to be present. Everything in the social line came off as expected and scheduled, with the exception of the Irish jig, by Flaherty but Paul explained to his disappointed friends that what little Irish he had was in his right eye instead of his feet and with it he did all the dancing.

Rev. Collins of the Eleventh street church gave a very inspiring talk to the men, which was greatly enjoyed.

Rev. Rush and Clippinger Shirey made short talks and R. M. Haney and Clarence Kramer told of some of the interesting things they heard on their recent visit to the conference.

The Sunday School orchestra furnished many selections during the evening.

### BEST BASKETBALL GAME OF SEASON

The strong Reading High team is on the board tonight at the High School gym and the best game of the season is just around the corner from us. All will remember the snappy game last year with this team and no one is going to be disappointed with the game or its outcome tonight. So far as can be learned the Reading team will be made up of about the same high class members as were here last year and of course their are no apologies to make for the local team when it comes to men of ability in the lineup. The game will start promptly and many a man who has not yet seen a game this year will be present at the call of the whistle.

#### BOW SOCIAL TUESDAY EVENING

The Sons and Daughters of Liberty will hold a Bow Social at the Third Ward Hose House Tuesday evening, April 2d, 1918. Everybody invited.

### BAD BREATH

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets Get at the Cause and Remove It

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel, act gently on the bowels and positively do the work.

People afflicted with bad breath find quick relief through Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The pleasant, sugar-coated tablets are taken for bad breath by all who know them.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets act gently but firmly on the bowels and liver, stimulating them to natural action, clearing the blood and gently purifying the entire system. They do that which dangerous calomel does without any of the bad after effects.

All the benefits of nasty, sickening griping cathartics are derived from Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets without griping pain or any disagreeable effects.

Dr. F. M. Edwards discovered the formula after seventeen years of practice among patients afflicted with bowel and liver complaint, with the attendant bad breath.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are purely a vegetable compound mixed with olive oil; you will know them by their olive color. Take one or two every night for a week and note the effect. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

### Classified Ads For Everybody

#### HELP WANTED

WANTED—A well-dressed dining room girl at the Leaning House. M25-1f

WANTED—Two men for hospital. One for night fireman and one for day. Apply at hospital. M25-1f

WANTED—An assistant farmer on the H. M. Kurtz estate, farm on Woodland road. Good house and water. Good terms. Call or see Russell Jay II. & C. phone 385x, or Chas. T. Kurtz, Clearfield, Pa. M25-3t

WANTED—At once: Man who can furnish team and wagon or car to sell the Heberling Medicines, Extracts, Spices, Stock Powder, etc., in Clearfield County. Splendid territory for the right man. Address J. P. Miller, General Agent, Woodrow, Penn. M25-4t and 5t

#### WANTED

CASH FOR OLD TEETH  
Don't matter if broken. I pay \$2.00 a \$15.00 per set; also cash for old gold, silver, platinum, dental gold and old gold jewelry. Will send cash by return mail and will hold goods 10 days for sender's approval of my price. Mail to L. Mazer 2007 S. 5th street, Philadelphia, Pa. M5-1mp

WANTED—A buyer or renter for the Kelly boarding house on Filbert street, Curwensville. Party renting it now has bought a farm. An excellent chance for a good party. House full of boarders now. Vacancy within thirty days. For full particulars and unusually liberal terms address E. L. Noll, Box 571, Curwensville, Pa. M25-4t

AGENTS—Earn spending money. Every housekeeper wants Madam Blumer's Egg Saver. 25c pig. represents 48 eggs. A pure food product. Sells like wildfire. Mrs. Fiske made \$8.25, Mrs. Ruffer \$6.75 in one day. So can you. Free samples. P. N. Blumer, Lincoln Ave. and Roscoe, Chicago. M29-2t-pd.

#### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching from Regal white Wyndottes. Winners at four leading shows. Excellent winter layers. C. C. Holt, Winburne. M1-1mc

FOR SALE—Six cylinder car, fine condition. Would make good truck. Fred G. Betts. M11-1f-ch

FOR SALE—1917 Ford delivery truck. In good condition, ready to do business. Auto Supply Co., Third St. M25-2t

Columbian rocks laid more eggs in the North American contest than any other breed. Mine are full sisters to Pen Fifteen. Hens weigh ten pounds. Try them and you will keep no others. Eggs \$2.00 for fifteen and a fair hatch guaranteed. J. L. Brownlee, Ridgway, Pa. M23-1w-pd

FOR SALE—A Hallet & Davis piano in good condition. Inquire 415 Schofield street, Curwensville. M26-1wp

FOR SALE—The ground and building generally known as the Glass Factory. For price, terms, etc., apply Emil F. Kupfer at factory. M28-2tc

FOR SALE—Burrough's adding machine. Has nine columns of keys and is in good condition. S. A. Howard, c/o Clearfield Progress. M28-3tp

FOR SALE—A 1-2 ton International truck. Bargain for quick buyer. Apply R. T. Morgan, Glen Ridge. M29-6t-pd.

FOR SALE—Four auto tires size 34x4, good as new. Will sell for less than half price. A16x2 radiators, 2 windshields, 2 auto seats \$24 bargain. Call 101x or set J. Harris, 213 Ogden avenue, Clearfield, Pa. M29-6t-ch

LOST—A black rosary on gold chain, somewhere on Second street between Spruce street and the point. Finder please return to Progress. M29-1t

FOR SALE—Onion sets. Fancy yellow onion sets in any quantity. Thorn Bros, Market St. M28-3tc

Mrs. H. H. Honore, Jr. of Chicago, is president of an oil company which is said to be the largest corporation in the world organized and controlled exclusively by women





**You'll find**  
**best values**  
**right at home—**  
**with your own**  
**grocer—Why**  
**shop around with**  
**peddlers and mail**  
**order houses?**

Any of the modern grocers listed below handle standard merchandise—they give full value—they are close at hand, always ready to serve you. Part of the money you spend in their stores indirectly returns to you for it helps make your town a better place in which to live.

**Tobias Bros.**

Second St.

**Walker & Loy**

Nichol St.

**Shaw Bros**

Nichol Street

**Wm. Boyce & Son**

Cor. Nichol & Turnpike Ave.

**C. E. Shirey**

Turnpike Ave.

**Ross & Woods**

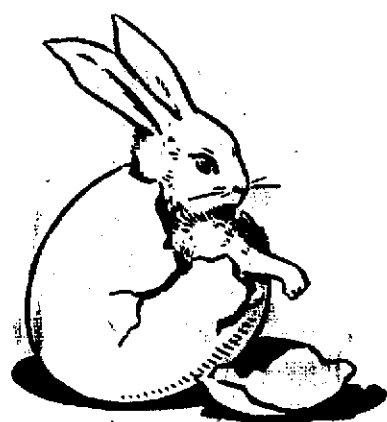
Market St.

**J. S. Beahan**

Second St.

**Gilliland Bros.**

Daisy Street



**Dennison's**

**Easter**  
**Novelties**

The daintiest of Easter things for your celebration of the Bunny's coming. A description is futile. Come to the store to see all this array of charming daintiness.

**Kurtz Stationery**  
**Store**

NOTICE

A festival will be given by the Glen Richey Auxiliary in the Golden Eagles' hall, Glen Richey, March 30. An orchestra will furnish music and two patriotic speakers will be present. Do not fail to attend this as you will miss a great treat.  
M25-5t Committee.

**Why**

do you continue to risk your all without adequate fire protection when we will gladly explain any feature that you may not understand?

**Helmhold & Stewart**  
Snyder Block

## NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS CURWENSVILLE

Miss Mary Cadman has been off duty at the Leitzinger store for the past week owing to sickness.

Boyd Smith is visiting in Watson town.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott McFadden were called to Grampian Wednesday on account of the serious illness of Mrs. William Freeman.

Miss Ruth LaPort who has been in Pittsburgh for some time and who underwent a serious operation of the spine in one of the hospitals there is expected to be able to come home for Easter.

A playette entitled "Who Pays It" was given at Mother's meeting yesterday afternoon in the basement parlors of the M. E. church, after which dainty refreshments were served.

Mrs. Paul Clifford returned to her home at Scranton Tuesday after a six week's visit with her mother Mrs. Lucretia Lines of South Side.

Mrs. Martha Shirk has returned to Clearfield after a visit with her daughter Mrs. R. M. Decker.

The Fifth grade, second floor c. Locust street school rendered a very appropriate Easter literary program yesterday afternoon.

M. A. Caldwell purchased the L. C. Bloom property on State street. Consideration \$8,500.

There was a wreck on the B. & O. P. near Ferncliff Wednesday morning. A Lake Shore freight train had a couple of cars off the track. The cars were loaded with hams and flour. Fortunately no one was hurt nor was there much of the precious food stuff wasted.

B. A. Kindig, eighth grade teacher left yesterday afternoon for his home where he will spend Easter. Mr. Dendix expects to receive his call for service within a few days.

Mrs. Ben Bernstein, of Pittsburgh, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Robinson.

Miss Virginia Milliner of Philipsburg, is visiting her uncle William Young of South Side.

M. A. Caldwell left on a business trip to Pittsburgh.

The borough schools closed yesterday for the Easter vacation.

Miss Kathryn Shearer left for Buffalo where she will spend Easter.

Mr. Annie Evans has been on the sick list for several days.

Mrs. W. A. Pratt returned home Wednesday evening from Altoona where she had accompanied her daughter Miss Rachel on her return to school at Wilbur Force, O. Miss Rachel who was taken ill while at school was operated upon several weeks ago for appendicitis at McQuirk's sanitarium at Philipsburg.

Mrs. Alex Frankhouser is under the doctor's care suffering from rheumatism.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Normangood near Arnoldtown, Tuesday, March 26.

Mrs. A. E. Patton is visiting her son Alex in Ohio.

Advertise in The Progress.



## New Garden Areas Should Be Cleared Thoroughly of Trash

LAST YEAR'S RECORD MUST  
BE PASSED THIS YEAR

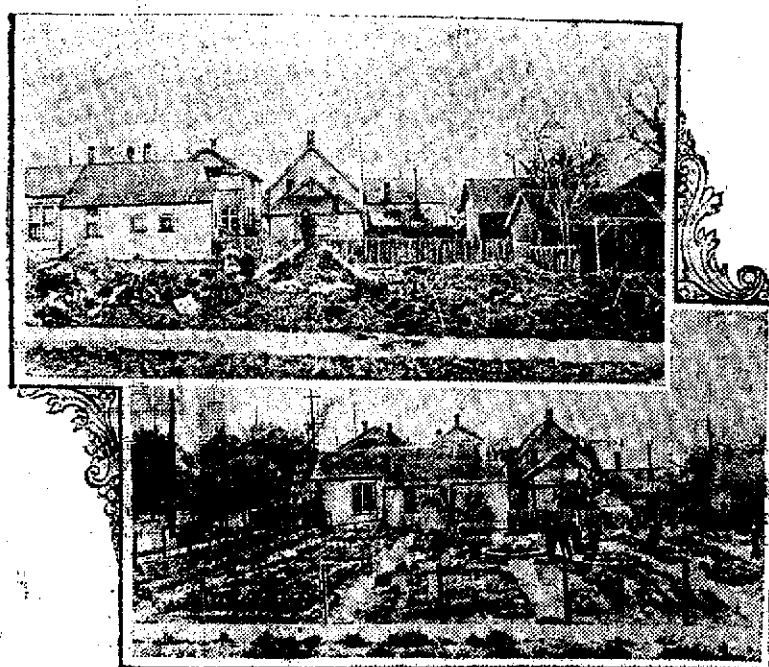
This (1917 home gardening) campaign stimulated, it is estimated, the planting of from two hundred to three hundred per cent more gardens than had ever before produced food in the United States.—From annual report of the United States Secretary of Agriculture.

The first problem in preparing the land for a garden that has not been used for this purpose is to remove all dead weeds, sticks, stones, barbs and trash of any sort. Brains and brawns should be dug up by the roots so they will not sprout again.

Good drainage is essential to a successful garden. If the land is not well drained, this should be corrected as the first step in making the garden. Tile drains may be used or the land may be bedded by plowing it in

application of air-slaked lime or ground limestone to the freshly plowed soil in order that it may have time to correct acidity before planting time arrives. The manure should not be applied with the lime, as loss of nitrogen will occur under these circumstances. The lime should be applied and become mixed with the soil before the manure is applied. The manure should be of a good grade, stable manure either from horses or cattle preferably. Manure that has straw bedding material mixed with it is best, and should be applied at the rate of 25 to 30 tons per acre or from 300 to 400 pounds per square rod.

It is an excellent plan to prepare the soil for planting as needed rather than to fit the whole garden at once. If the work of fitting the ground is done with a team it will not always be feasible to follow this plan. Ground that has not been used for gardening purposes should, in every case where it is possible, be put in condition with a team, as the ground should be cut



These "Before-and-After" Pictures Show What Can Be Accomplished in Converting a Trash-Heap Into a Useful and Eye-Pleasing Garden.

long, narrow lanes, leaving the middle furrow as drainage ditches. In the case of gardens spaded and worked by hand the same results may be had by bedding up the soil. Vegetables will not thrive in poorly drained soil no matter how much care is given them.

Break Soil Early

Plowing or spading should be done at the earliest possible moment, in order that in sections of the country where freezing occurs the soil may be subjected to freezing so that it will be broken up by the action of the frost and be mellow and friable when planting begins. Nothing aids in the preparation of soil, and especially stiff soils, like freezing and thawing. It is especially important that ground in sod be plowed in time so it will freeze after plowing and grub worms and other hibernating insects may be destroyed.

Where severe freezing is sure to occur after the plowing is done little harm will be done by plowing the ground while wet. Otherwise the ground should not be plowed until fairly dry, or clods will result.

The ground after plowing should be allowed to remain rough until needed.

Lime Is Important

It is an excellent plan to make an

up with disk or cutaway harrow, thoroughly fining the soil as deeply as it has been plowed, thoroughly mixing the manure with the soil.

Distribute Hand Labor

It is, of course, possible to do the work just as well by hand, but a considerable amount of labor is involved. For small areas, however, this method is the only practical one. When the garden is to be worked by hand it is especially desirable that the spading be done as early as possible, as the sooner it is done the easier it will be to get the ground in condition. The ground should be worked down only as needed, as this will distribute the labor; and as the rough ground will dry off quicker than that smoothed down, it is possible to get on the ground sooner if left in the rough than when well worked down. It is extremely desirable to get such crops as early peas, early potatoes, and early cabbage plants in as soon as the ground is dry enough, and it is often possible to get these crops planted a week or two earlier by following this plan.

Well-sifted coal ashes, unlike wood ashes, have no fertilizing value, but are useful in lightening soil. Lime will lighten soil and at the same time correct acidity.



## Milady's Easter Footwear

In Exclusive Designs

The New Footwear you wish for Easter can be had here at a price so reasonable that you will be surprised, and everything of the best quality.

A fine selection of Women's Pumps in patent or kid, Louis' covered heels, slender recede toe, flexible turn soles. Our price . . . . . **\$5.00**

White Poplin Pumps, plain toe, Louis' covered heels, light turn soles. They are now priced at . . . . . **\$2.98 to \$3.50**

Ladies High Lace Boots, made in battleship grey kid and field mouse kid, Louis leather heels with aluminum heels. Priced at . . . . . **\$8.50**

Ladies' Brown Calf with high lace tops, Military or Cuban heels, winged tipped toes **\$7.50**

Children's White Shoes made with high tops, with white ivory soles, lace, sizes 11 1-2 to 2. Priced at **\$1.48 and \$1.69**

**BROWN'S BOOT SHOP**

CLEARFIELD

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Miller's Antiseptic Oil known as

**Snake Oil**

Will Limber you up—A New Creation Pain Killer and Antiseptic Combined

For rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, stiff and swollen joints, corns, bunions or whatever the pain may be, it is said to be without an equal. For cuts, burns, bruises, sore throat, croup, diphtheria and tonsillitis it has been found most effective. Accept no substitute. This great oil is golden red color only. There is nothing like it. Every bottle guaranteed, 25c, 50c and \$1.00 or money refunded at Dooley's Drug store.

To alight from an aeroplane "somewhere in Westminster" in order to attend an important parliamentary debate after a tempestuous channel flight, is a feat recently accomplished by Sir John Simon, who flew from the Flying Corps Headquarters "somewhere in France" direct to the House of Commons.

**HORSES FOR SALE**

AT F. B. WILSON'S BARN

9 Head of horses ranging from 12 to 15 hundred. Some cheap ones and one mated team, blacks, 4 years old. Expect to be there Thursday, March 20.

G. W. SOWERS

Clarion, Pa.

EASTER RECORDS

88403 \$3 Hosanna (Granier)  
10060 \$7.75 Hosanna (Granier)  
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Cafun  
McDonough  
Witherspoon

2nd St. **SHEEDER'S MUSIC HOUSE** Clearfield

**Paint Up!**

Now that spring is here brighten up one or more rooms.

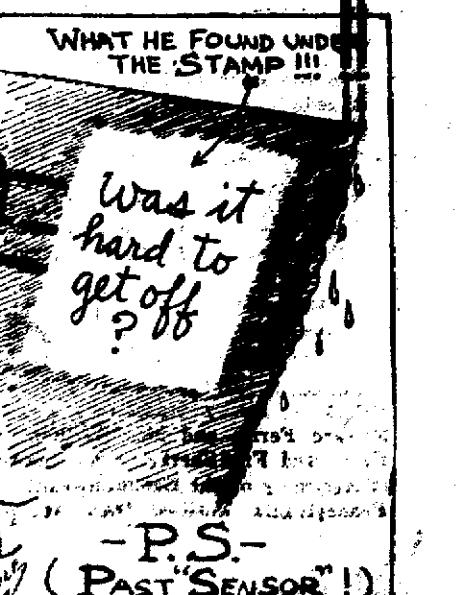
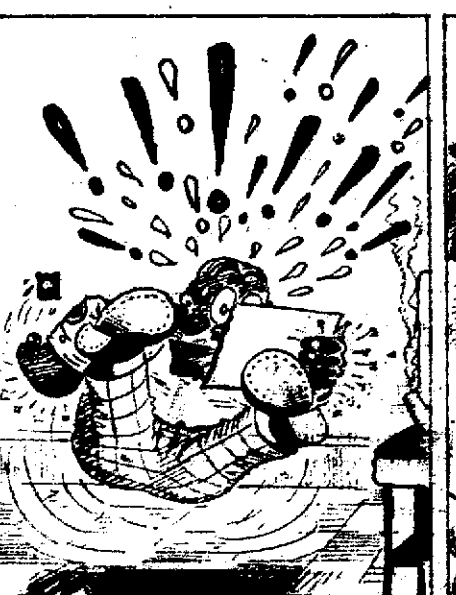
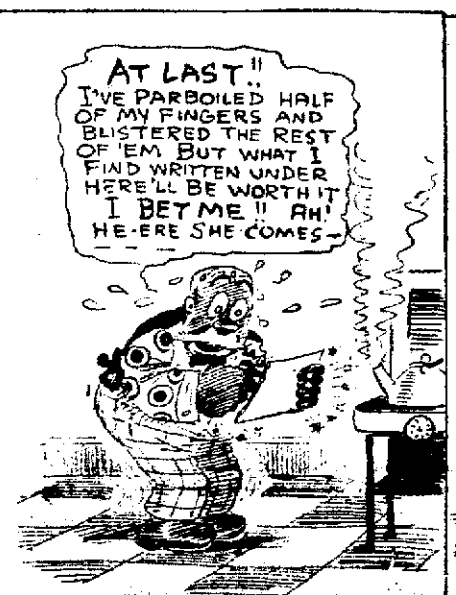
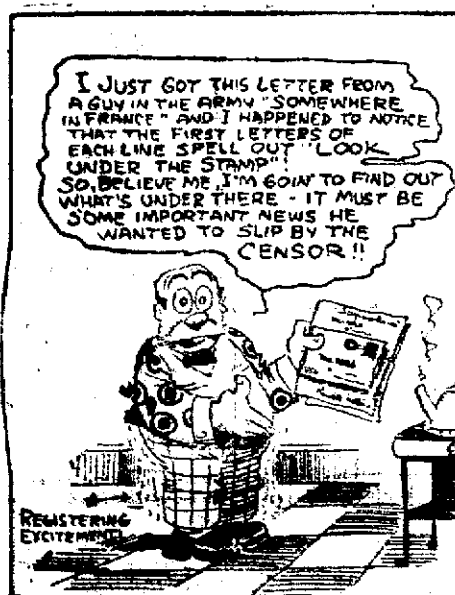
We have Masury's paints for the woodwork and Stainfloor for your floors. A color card for the asking.

**WILLIAM F. POWELL**

SECOND STREET

CLEARFIELD, PA.

NOW MR. WAD KNOWS JUST WHAT "THE HORRORS OF WAR" MEANS!





# GLOBE THEATRE

TONIGHT

Special Paramount Feature  
Marguerite Clark with big star cast  
in  
"THE VALENTINE GIRL"  
In 5 fascinating acts

Universal Current Events  
A big feature everywhere  
Music by the Orchestra  
12.30, 4.00, 6.30, 8.00, 9.30

DELICIOUS  
Admission 10 and 15c

COMING TOMORROW

ATTRACTION EXTRAORDINARY  
Edw. Lockwood with an all star cast  
in a big special  
"UNDER HANDICAP"  
In 7 big thrilling acts

Special Metro Comedy  
Featuring Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Drew

PRICES TOMORROW  
Afternoon 10c, 15c; Night 15c, 20c  
Continuous shows 1 to 11 p. m.  
5 big shows in all 5

MAKE APPLICATION  
FOR FROTH FRY AT  
ONCE IS REQUEST

The Clearfield Hunters' Association  
in receipt of a number of blank ap-  
plications for both Federal and State  
hunting trout fry for propagating  
purposes and is desirous of having  
the local sportsmen fill out same and  
get them sent in at once so that we  
may be able to get a couple of car  
loads of young trout for planting dur-  
ing the coming summer.

In order to get the trout in all the  
streams the applications will be dis-  
tributed among the different hunting  
clubs. They are all in the hands of  
Secretary Norris of the Hunters' As-  
sociation and representatives of each  
of the clubs in this vicinity are re-  
quested to call on him at the Commis-  
sioners' office during the coming week  
and get the number of blanks ap-  
portioned to his camp.

If the blanks are not called for by  
Saturday of next week they will then  
be distributed by the association. Let  
every club take an interest in this  
matter and get their blanks early, fill  
them out and return to Secretary  
Norris, who will attend to sending  
them in to the different departments.

## Wall Paper and Housecleaning

These two things go hand in  
hand. Our stock of wall paper  
grows more complete with each  
incoming train. There's a paper  
you'll like here.

C. G. Feister  
Third St. Clearfield, Pa.

## Horse Sale Postponed

The horse sale adver-  
tised to be held at the  
Allegheny House barn  
on Friday, March 29th,  
has been postponed until  
Thursday, April 4th.

H. S. Baumgardner  
227-31c

## Delicious Soda

Served in the most sanitary  
way that soda can be served.  
Pure ice cream, fruit syrups  
that have the real fruity taste,  
top dressings that come from  
America's foremost makers—the  
details that go to make our  
fountain the mecca of the  
thirsty.

You can meet most of your  
friends here—Say to them  
"Meet me at Stewart's Fountain"

STEWART'S DRUG STORE  
The Sun T. S.

## Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

C. W. Bailey attended to business  
in DuBois yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bigler were Du-  
Bois visitors yesterday.

Miss Helene Lytle arrived home to-  
day from Jenkintown, Pa., where she  
has been attending the Beechwood  
School, to spend the Easter vacation.

Miss Evelyn Smith who attends  
Indiana Normal, arrived home today  
to spend Easter.

Miss Pauline Neff left yesterday for  
Indiana, Pa., where she will visit  
friends for a few days.

The engagement of Miss Florence  
Wilson of DuBois and Mr. Frank  
Shaner of Kansas was announced at  
a party yesterday afternoon given by  
Miss Helen Munch.

Russell Howard and Jack Hergin-  
ton of DuBois, were transacting busi-  
ness here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McCleod and  
family have returned from a visit with  
relatives at Lititz.

Harry Healey has been visiting the  
Clearfield boys at Camp Lee, Peters-  
burg, Va., for a few days.

Tom Wallace is home from Lafay-  
ette College at Easton, Pa., to spend  
the Easter vacation with his parents  
Mr. and Mrs. Will Wallace of Front  
street.

Miss Don Schock and sister Miss  
Ruth Dempsey of DuBois, were Clear-  
field shoppers yesterday.

Miss Catherine Dimeling arrived  
home yesterday morning from Bryn  
Mawr where she attends Bryn Mawr  
college to spend the Easter vacation.  
Mr. and Mrs. George Lungle of  
Shawville were shopping in our stores  
yesterday.

Alton Lynn has returned from a  
trip to Philadelphia.

Mrs. Everett Ake and Miss Gertrude  
Miller of Glen Campbell were shop-  
ping here yesterday.

Ashley Lord of Bald Hill was in  
town on business today.

Mr. Thomas H. Murray returned  
yesterday from Sharon where she was  
attending the funeral of her friend  
Mrs. W. C. DeForest.

Mrs. Kathryn Michaels and daughter  
Mrs. Roux of Bigler, were  
shopping here yesterday.

Mrs. James Barrett and daughter  
are left today for Wilkes to visit their  
daughter and sister Jane who is visit-  
ing Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Barrett.

John Brophy, Charles O'Neill and  
Richard Gilbert have returned from a  
business trip to Washington, D. C.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith  
of Washington, D. C., a daughter,  
Mrs. Smith was formerly Miss Re-  
becca Fleming of this city.

Mrs. Cecelia Briel of Karthaus, was  
shopping in our stores yesterday.

Jake Simonsburger, of Hastings,  
was a Clearfield visitor today.

Mrs. Cecil Leavy and little daugh-  
ter Margaret are visiting relatives in  
Hastings.

Miss Helen Jacobson is home from  
Indiana Normal to spend the Easter  
vacation.

Hurch Johnson arrived today from  
Pittsburgh to spend Sunday with his  
wife and little son who are visiting  
his parents Mr. and Mrs. George W.  
Johnson.

Graydon Thorn left yesterday for  
Hastings to visit his sister Mrs.  
Burner.

Mrs. Clara Thompson of Curwens-  
ville spent yesterday with her sister  
Mrs. W. P. Watson.

Ered Dyer and daughter Miss Mir-  
iam Dyer, of Curwensville were  
Clearfield visitors yesterday.

Mrs. J. I. Goodlander of Pittsburgh  
accompanied her mother Mrs. William  
McCullough some last evening. Mrs.  
McCullough has been ill for the past  
two months at the home of her daugh-  
ter in Pittsburgh and was able to be  
brought home last evening.

### ENTERTAINS LITTLE FRIENDS

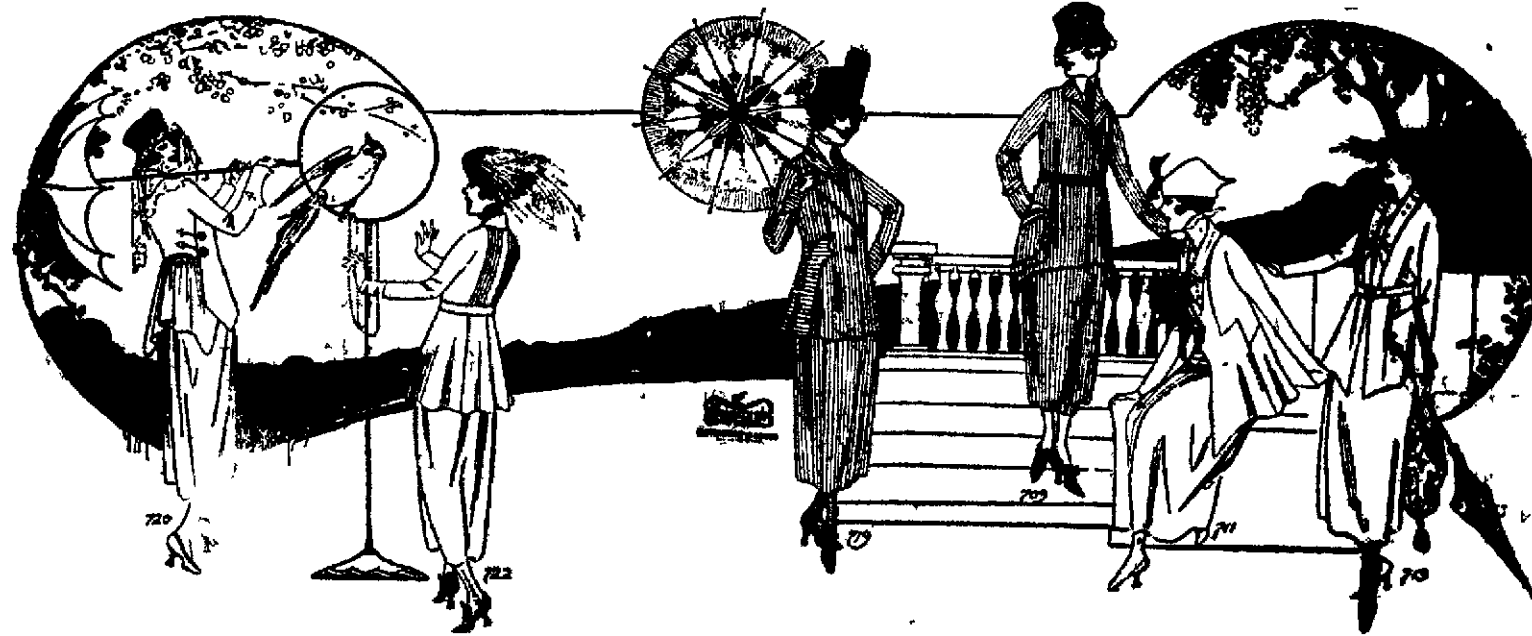
Miss Elizabeth Dowler entertained  
a number of boys and girls last even-  
ing at her home on West Market  
street. Dancing, games and music  
furnished plenty of entertainment for  
the young people, and at a late hour  
delicious refreshments were served.

### TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH

The Passion Week exercises have  
been well attended and characterized  
by a spirit of deep devotion. This  
evening the pastor will preach on  
"Christ's Address From the Cross".

Easter Sunday promises to be a  
great day in Trinity church with the  
reception of members and the Easter  
sermon in the morning and a program  
of music in the evening.

**CROUP**  
Specific croup is  
usually relieved with  
one application of—  
**VICKS VAPORUB**



## For Easter—A Page Abounding With Exceptional Values This Store Is Brilliant With New Easter Goods

### Easter Hosiery Special

FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ONLY

LADIES' 75c ART SILK HOSE FOR 63c PAIR

With prices rapidly mounting, compar-  
ison is the only test. They are unquestion-  
ably a value hard to duplicate. Full se-  
lection of colors including black, white,  
navy, grey, pink and battleship. Absolu-  
tely perfect.

\$1.25 SILK STOCKINGS AT 98c PAIR

A full fashioned silk stocking, and  
doubly reinforced at heels and toes. Colors  
are tan, navy, battleship grey and black.  
All pure silk.

### Easter Hats Specially Priced At

5.00, 7.50 and 10.00

Small, close-fitting hats, medium-size cornered hats, small  
pokes, new shape sailors, plenty of fashionable large hats and  
the becoming mushrooms. Black and all fashionable colors are  
shown in this collection trimmed with the newest plumage, the  
little flower and fruit pieces, the new waxed ribbons, smart quills,  
etc.

### New Easter Suits—New, Original & Distinctive, 19.75, 22.50, 25.00 27.50, 35.00 up to 67.50

It isn't merely having garments that are stylish and  
becoming, but the added fact that they are man-tailored  
and designs of the higher type. Women today want their  
clothes to give full service. This being the case, it is cer-  
tainly advisable to choose one of these suits now. As each  
suit is purchased, it is practically certain that that style  
will not again be duplicated.

The style is rather straight and possessing a certain  
military quality, fashioned of fresh light tweeds and fine  
French serges and other popular Spring novelties. All  
lined with silk peau de cygne, some braid trimmed, others  
showing unique usage of buttons. You will find each  
NEW, ORIGINAL AND DISTINCTIVE.



### GLOVES—The New Shades

Whether in kid or silk or the washable  
skin gloves, you will find a complete collection  
of the newest colors now on hand. For this  
very reason, it is wisdom itself to make selec-  
tion now rather than delaying even for a week  
or two.

Finest kid gloves \$2.25 to \$3.25.  
Silk gloves priced at 75c to \$1.50.  
Washable cape gloves \$2.00 to \$3.25.  
Chamoisette gloves at \$1.00 pair.

### What Pretty Neckwear!

We venture to say that when once you try  
on one of the new colored organdie sets, or  
those of Georgette crepe with lace edging, or  
the alluring Gipsy tie-end shapes, you can't  
escape having it wrapped up to take home with  
you for Easter Sunday. 50c to \$3.00.

### Veilings For Spring Hats

Spotted, scrolled or flowered—choice of a  
dozen or more designs. When you have made  
selection of your new hat (if you have not al-  
ready done so) a veil is the next step in the  
logical order of correct millinery. 25c to 50c  
a yard.

### An Excellent Showing of Easter Coats 15 to 69.75

Materials are serges, tweeds, coverts and  
velours, as well as others; set off in a host of  
ways. Some through the manner of their own  
designs. Excellent workmanship from begin-  
ning to end. A splendid selection to choose  
from.

### A Showing of New Easter Waists From 1.95 to 12.50

Including the newest creations of New  
York designers and the identical models now  
being shown in certain exclusive city shops  
along Fifth Avenue. Waists of sheer orga-  
ndies and voiles, as well as tub silks and crepes.  
One waist which has attracted attention is of  
a taffeta silk and shows a striking and unique  
combination of sports colors, trimmed with  
small buttons of the same material.

### Before The New Dress— A NEW Corset

To say that this is not the logical order  
would be admitting that the top story of a  
house should be built before the foundation.

Take our advice—and buy your corset  
FIRST. Then you can see about your dress  
or suit with a free mind.

We are showing all the new models in  
Gossards, Royal Worcester, Bon-Ton and  
Grecian Treco Corsets \$1.25 to \$12.50  
from .....

### Dainty Crepe de Chine and Italian Silk Underwear

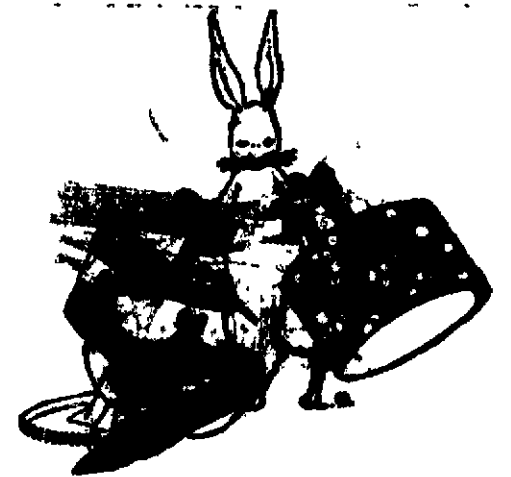
Silk camsoles from \$1.19 to \$3.50.  
Silk bloomers at \$3.50.  
Silk combination suits from \$3.50 to \$5.00.

### BUY WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

Every Real Red Blooded  
American, and that Means  
Every Man, Woman and  
Child, Should Do His or  
Her Bit and Buy War Sav-  
ing Stamps

First of all, let us make  
perfectly clear just what  
War Savings Stamps are.

War Savings Stamps are  
the same as having the  
government's money (no  
savings bank) in your pocket,  
were to drop in your savings  
from time to time, then de-  
positing it in the bank and  
get interest on it, only that  
you are not getting the in-  
terest until you cash the  
stamps; but in all the  
while and what is more,  
this plan pays you a good  
interest.



### A Really Unusual Showing of Silk Dresses at 15.00 to 55.00

Whether because of the war, the high price of cot-  
ton and the still higher price of wool, silk is to be so prime  
a favorite for Spring and Summer, is really immaterial.  
The fact remains that there is a greater showing of beau-  
tiful silk dresses on our racks today than we thought would  
be possible to obtain for this season. The dresses are  
made of taffets, georgette crepe, soft finished silks, silk  
ginghams, crepe de chine, and other materials, and it seems  
as though American designers have simply outdone them-  
selves in the manipulation of materials and trimmings.

### Easter Hosiery In All The New Colors to Match Your New Easter Suit



Silk hosiery from 89c to 65c pair.  
Silk boot hosiery from 75c to 85c pair.  
All silk hosiery from \$1.25 to \$2.25 pair.

### The New Easter Handbags Fashion, Smart, Dainty

While you may have ever so many gar-  
ments to wear of a season, you will probably  
only want one to wear with them. Ever so  
many styles and colors in handbags and  
purses shown here at least. 50c to \$6.00  
er and silk. Priced from .....

### Silk Petticoats From 2.98 to 8.00

In all the new shades to match the new  
Easter garments. Come in taffeta and Jersey  
silk. Have elastic waist bands and snap fast-  
eners on the placket. Plaited, corded or skir-  
red ruffle styles.

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